

CLEARFIELD, PENNSYLVANIA, WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH, 20, 1918

BAKER IN FRONT LINE TRENCHES CALLS THEM "LINE OF FREEDOM"

GERMAN SHELL BURSTING CLOSE TO THE SECRETARY ENLIVENS VISIT OF OUR WAR MINISTER TO FRANCE

CHATS WITH ARCHIE ROOSEVELT

By Fred S. Ferguson
United Press Staff Correspondent
With the American Army in France
March 19—Secretary Baker was in the front line trenches under shell fire early today scanning No Man's Land from the front line posts. "Now, I have seen the line of freedom," he exclaimed.

The entire sector was lighted up with burning shrapnel. There were just four in the party—Baker, a division general, a major from the press sector and a guide. The other members of the party were extremely nervous regarding Baker's welfare, but he was obviously cool.

Returning from the trench a 105 Caliber German shell burst within 40 yards of the Secretary's automobile. Baker saw many men from Ohio he knew, both officers and rankers. Baker visited Captain Archie Roosevelt and chatted for some time praising Roosevelt's gallantry. He also talked with other wounded men.

The visit to the hospital followed an inspection of the Toul front. Baker and his party motored through shattered villages to division headquarters. The route traversed was in a dangerous area in an open country. One of the villages on the route housed American regimental officers. It was the most utterly demolished of any visited. The house that housed the officers was a skeleton of a stone house. Shells fall on the village with great frequency. Everyone of its inhabitants is compelled to wear steel hats and gas masks. While Baker was in the trenches American aeroplanes flew over the lines despite the heavy fire from Boche anti-aircraft guns.

When Baker entered the trenches he wore a khaki coat, a raincoat, a tin hat and carried a gas mask. Previously he had been given a gas mask drill. He chatted with the men frequently asking "What part of Ohio are you from?" Some of the men recognized the Secretary of War and stood up stiffly at attention. Baker asked them how things were going and how they were feeling. The unanimous opinion was that everything was "quiet." Some Boche shells passed over and the Secretary asked what size they were. A listening post sentry "softly" assured the Secretary that "the Americans shelled better than the Boche."

When Baker arrived at some brigadier headquarters seven batteries were being shelled. There were loud explosions and the enemy shells struck in the vicinity. When he had been assured there were no casualties his automobile was speeded up to take him out of the danger zone. Returning to the rear the Secretary visited the men who were billeted in a barn. He clambered up a ladder to the hay loft and asked about the men's health. One of them replied he had a good grip.

"Well you are getting a good grip on the Kaiser anyhow," the Secretary replied.

Secretary Baker has given his authority for an American soldier to wear a foreign decoration, according to dispatches today from Fred S. Ferguson, United Press staff correspondent with Baker in France.

"I got the war cross but I can't wear it," declared a wounded American officer recently presented with the French war cross, to Baker.

"As Secretary of War I give you authority to wear it," Baker replied.

March 19.—Secretary Baker today addressed members of the Rainbow Division who had been on the firing line and promised to convey a message from them to "the folks back home."

"To your relatives scattered throughout the states I will send a message telling them that you are well fed, and do not lack the supplies and attentions which safeguard your

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS AWARDED THREE

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March 18—The first men to receive the new American war decoration for extraordinary heroism were Lieutenant Hugh N. Greene, of the field artillery and Sergeant William Norton and Pat Walsh. All received the Distinguished Service Cross. Greene was wounded by a grenade during a recent German raid on the Toul front. He was in a dug out and refused to surrender. After being wounded he wounded a couple Boches with his pistol and then came out of the trench. Norton's and Walsh's feats have been previously narrated. No crosses were available for presentation at the time they were won.

The D. S. C. was created by the order of President Wilson. The cross is for bestowal in case of "extraordinary heroism." It is bronze.

TREATING THEM O. K.

Peking, March 20—Chinese and Japanese ambassadors attending a meeting given to the American diplomatic corps have arrived in Manchuria under safe conduct of the Russian red guard, according to dispatches received here today.

health," he said. "Your community and the nation will be proud of your good conduct and clean living which goes with clean, hard fighting and the principles for which you fight."

2 American Heros in Attack on Germans



COL. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR



SERGEANT HANK GOWDY

Colonel Douglas MacArthur, son of General Arthur MacArthur, has been given the Croix de Guerre by the French government for heroic action. He was censor in the War Department when the war began, but he demanded that he be sent to the front. Sergeant Hank Gowdy, whose name has been mentioned as one of the Americans who attacked and repulsed the Germans in the Lunerville region, was catcher for the Boston National league baseball club when it won the pennant in 1917. Gowdy's heavy batting won the pennant. He was the first big league to enlist for Uncle Sam.

DISLOYAL MONTANA JUDGE LIKELY TO BE IMPEACHED

(By United Press)
Helena, Mont., March 20.—Sitting as a court of impeachment, the senate of the Montana State Legislature convened today to determine the truth of charges of disloyalty and misfeasance made against Charles L. Crum, of Forsyth, judge of the Fifteenth District by the House of Representatives. Members of the House named a board of managers to prosecute the charges against Crum and witnesses for both sides are streaming in from Rosebud and Musselshell counties.

Articles of impeachment were adopted by the lower house at the special war session last month after over 10 affidavits were submitted by Governor Sam Stewart and the Rosebud County Committee of 100. These supported charges made by the committee that Crum had made statements disloyal to the government; had criticized the president; had declared the draft law unconstitutional, and sought to condone the Lusitania sinking.

It is also charged that Crum, when here as a character witness for a Rosebud county man charged with treasonable utterances, pointed a gun at a federal attorney.

FROM HERE AND THERE

A motion picture outfit has been sent from England for use in the camps surrounding Jerusalem.

The salary of the President of Switzerland amounts to \$2,200 a year, with an additional \$4,000 for expenses.

England is using nearly a million dollars' worth of castor oil a year for lubricating the engines of airplanes.

At a dinner party in London recently it was found that four private soldiers who were among the guests had travelled 35,000 miles at their own expense to fight for the Motherland. One of them had come all the way from the Yukon, another from the wilds of Western Australia, the third from the Straits Settlements, and the fourth from Central Africa.

T. L. WALL WADE FARM LABOR MANAGER

Unique Plan Outlined For As- sisting Farmers to Plant And Harvest Big Crops

A SENSIBLE APPOINTMENT

An important meeting of the County Committee of Public Safety was held in the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon the purpose of the meeting being to prepare plans for inaugurating a strenuous campaign to supply the farmers of Clearfield county with adequate farm help in order that food production might be placed at the highest notch possible the coming season.

The Federal Department of Agriculture and the State Committee of Public Safety are determined that all necessary help shall be secured for the farms and desire to impress upon the farmers the fact that the labor they need for planting, cultivating, and harvesting will be supplied in order that the farmer may plan their work on a scale commensurate with the demands for increased food supply.

R. W. Meyer, a representative of the Federal Department of Agriculture, who has charge of their work in this regard in Pennsylvania, was at yesterday's meeting and presented the necessity for increased crops and outlined the plan to secure the necessary farm labor. Following his suggestion or plan a county Farm Labor Manager was selected who will work in conjunction with the County Farm Bureau. It will be the duty of Farm Labor Manager to visit the farmers and find out just what labor they stand in need of to carry out their plans. In addition thereto he will be authorized to appoint local committees in each community (with a leader for each, whose duty it will be to see that labor is placed where it is required. This local committee will keep the Labor Manager and Farm Bureau informed of conditions in each district or community and in this way the needs can be scientifically determined and supplied and the greatest good accomplished.

The Farm Labor Manager will also visit the different industrial plants or concerns in the county and canvass these plants with the object of determining what men and how many men can be spared from time to time for work on the farms.

In addition to this work Boys Farm Camps will be established under the direction of the Federal Department and State Committee of Public Safety. It is the purpose to canvass the different High Schools throughout the county and select boys to occupy these camps and work upon the farms. Under this plan the boys after being selected are required to undergo a physical examination and if accepted are then sent to Pennsylvania State College for a two week training course, after which they are sent to the different communities. A leader and a co-leader will be selected for each camp and will be placed in charge. Each camp will contain from twelve to twenty four boys. Camps will be located in them or vacant buildings utilized. The boys will be transported from the camps to the farms each morning and returned in the evening.

The boys will be paid according to the work they are able to do. The scale of wage will be \$1.25 per day the first week for day workers, and \$1.50 per day the second week and thereafter.

The weekly pay will be \$2.00 per week for first week and \$4.00 per week thereafter.

A uniform of khaki has been decided upon and each boy will be required to provide himself with his own uniform at a nominal expense.

The cost of transportation to State College will be provided out of a \$60,000 fund set aside for such purpose in Pennsylvania, while it is expected the return fare will be furnished by the town in which the high school is located.

This plan is felt will result in great good to the boys and will also provide a large amount of labor for the farms.

The Farm Labor Manager chosen for Clearfield County is T. L. Wall. His job and will have his headquarters with County Farm Agent Kearney in the Farm Bureau offices in the Kew stone building.

Get behind this movement and especially assist in making the Boys Farm Camps a success. It means much to the country just now.

CORBETT HEADS BOYS FARM RESERVE

Campaign Now On To Register School Boys For Jobs On Forms This Summer

BOYS WILL NOT BE SLACKERS

The following story is of great importance at this time. Men and boys are called upon to do big things. The government has named Secretary R. M. Corbett of the local Y. M. C. A. as chairman of the Boys' Working Reserve and Joseph E. Phillips as chairman of the Public Service reserve. Let every boy in town talk this over with Mr. Corbett and men who are thinking of working on the farms this summer should see Mr. Phillips. These men are appointed for this county.

The serious shortage of farm labor threatens to reduce the agricultural production of Pennsylvania and other eastern states at a time when increase production is vitally necessary to the national welfare. The U. S. department of labor, through its recruiting division, the United States Public Service reserve inaugurated on March 18, 1918, a two week's drive to recruit farm labor, in which you are earnestly requested to cooperate. The time has been delayed to that because of the bad psychology of attempting to recruit farm workers in winter weather.

Under the United States Public Service Reserve will be enlisted men both with and without farm experience to serve on farms at prevailing wages. It is absolutely essential, however, to secure as many men as possible having farm experience, including retired farmers, college students, and men in other occupations not essential to the national welfare at this time.

Under the United States Boys' Working Reserve, which is the Junior Division of the United States Public Service reserve, boys of high school grades between 16 and 21 years of age will be recruited. It is essential that these young men should begin to get farm experience now, in order that their valuable service in agriculture may be available to the nation during the next few years.

Recruiting officers both of the Senior and Junior divisions of this service have been established in every community of this state.

GERMAN EDITORS OF PHILADELPHIA ON TREASON TRIAL

More than a dozen German editors attacking the war movement have opened yesterday in the Federal District Court in Philadelphia a trial on the charge of treason. The defendants are the editors of the United States District Court.

The indictment charges that they aided an enemy of the United States.

The penalty for treason in the case of a death.

When court adjourned last night the jury had been chosen.

Presentation of evidence will begin today. William A. Gray is counsel for the defense.

There have been trials for treason in Pennsylvania since the war of 1812, but almost without exception they were based upon charges that the defendant refused to aid the government in time of internal stress or they had impeded the enforcement of law.

The charge against Doctor Danlow and Mr. Werner are the first of their kind instituted since the war of 1812.

and will devote all of his time to the work. He has already taken on his job and will have his headquarters with County Farm Agent Kearney in the Farm Bureau offices in the Kew stone building.

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REPORT EMPOWERING BILL Washington, March 20.—The Senate Judiciary committee today bowed to administration pressure. By a vote of 11 to 7 reported favorably to the Senate the Overman empowering bill.

SHAPLAN'S CABLE

By Jos. Shaplan
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Petrograd, March 19. (Night.)—Foreign Minister Tchicherin declared today that the Soviet Commissary had considered the possibility that the United States would oppose Japan's ventures in the far East. He said he believed negotiations toward that end between the United States and Russia were possible. War Commissary Trotsky declared as opposed to Tchicherin's statement declaring Russia would not obligate itself to "capitalist America". Trotsky emphasized that the Soviet would not seek a formal alliance with the United States but said they hoped the United States would desire to live in friendship and co-operation with Russia as a means of protecting itself against Japan's encroachment.

DESERTER'S FATHER AN ENGINEER AT LOCK HAVEN

Elvin R. Wier, of Lock Haven, who committed suicide at Detroit yesterday after having deserted from the army, was the son of Harry Wier, an engineer at the plant of the Lock Haven Electric Light company. The following is from the Lock Haven Express: The Express found Mr. Wier at his work at the electric light plant and after learning that he had a son, Elvin Royman Wier, and that he also had a daughter Miss Clara Wier, who had been raised at the home of George Springer, of Caldwell, but who was now working at the silk mill in this city, told Mr. Wier of the news dispatch.

There is little doubt in Mr. Wier's mind that the young man in question is his son and he has so telegraphed the police authorities at Muskegon. They had received a letter from the young man around Christmas of last year from Muskegon, stating that he was going to join the army and was going to France.

Young Wier would have been 21 years of age on April 12. He left Lock Haven five years ago and has not been back since that time.

LENROOT LEADING LAFOLLETTE'S MAN IN WISCONSIN RACE

With slightly more than 50,000 votes in the last precinct of the race, Senator Irvine L. Lenroot, of the pro-war Republican party, led La Follette, who was apparently running a toe to toe race. Lenroot was leading doggedly to the slight 2,000 vote lead as represented by incomplete figures. The vote was Lenroot 59,692 and Thompson 57,765. Lenroot leaders jubilantly pointed out that the majority of the precincts not reported were in the northern counties declared to be solidly for their candidate. To offset this claim the Thompson men declared that the incomplete count in the Milwaukee districts were in a loyal platform has been maintained by the Democrats and Victor Berger received the heaviest vote ever cast for a Socialist in a Wisconsin primary.

The present method of assigning cars for railroad fuel supply was also disapproved. A more equitable method was asked and the matter was left in the hands of a committee of fifteen with the instruction that it be taken up with the fuel administration and the director general of railroads.

Simulated by the note of impending labor trouble, if the present method of car distribution is continued, the operators pledged themselves to cooperate with the district representative so that he can distribute equitably among the shippers emergency tonnage required by the government.

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FIRST CLEARFIELD BOY TO GIVE LIFE FOR COUNTRY

Harold P. Wilson, Son Of Mrs. Smith V. Wilson, Dies Of Pneumonia At Allentown, Pa.

BODY WILL ARRIVE TONIGHT

First Sergeant Harold Wilson, member of the Cornell unit at the U. S. hospital training camp at Allentown Pa., passed away at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, following a week's illness from an attack of pleuro pneumonia in the 25th year of his age.

Sergeant Wilson had been in poor health for several months past, having contracted a heavy cold shortly after the first of the year, which developed into bronchitis and grippe. He was home on furlough a few weeks ago and was far from being in his usual rugged health.

Some ten days ago he was taken down with pneumonia and his weakened system rapidly succumbed to the ravages of the disease. His mother was apprised on Friday last of his condition and his brother Cecil Wilson left the hospital at 6 o'clock much pleased over the condition of his brother, but at 9 o'clock a sudden change for the worse occurred which continued until the end came as above stated.

Harold P. Wilson was the second son of the late Smith V. and Mertie L. Irvin Wilson and was born in Clearfield March 22nd 1893.

He attended the Clearfield school but before graduation entered a preparatory school and following a course there enrolled as a student at Cornell. Last May or June he was called in the hospital and was placed in the rank of first or top sergeant of the company. He was a fine young man, well equipped to make a name for himself in the world, and his untimely death while in the service of his country is greatly to be regretted by all who had the pleasure of his personal acquaintance. His mother and brother are heart-broken at their bereavement and have the sympathy of the entire community.

Sergeant Wilson's remains, accompanied by a military escort in charge of Huston Hartwick, a fellow soldier and boyhood friend, will arrive in Clearfield this evening on the 6:30 Pennsylvania train. The funeral will be held from the family home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in Hillcrest cemetery.

PRIORITY ORDERS MENACE TO TRADE SAYS OPERATORS

March 20. In a resolution passed by 300 coal operators in the Clearfield Pennsylvania Mineowners field association, it was decided at the call of J. C. Conner, district representative of the operators, that all priority orders and associated cars should be abolished. Production will be increased, labor unrest assuaged and discrimination ended, it was contended if this is done.

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THE DAILY GRIND

There's a new glory about it—the same old morning-till-night-to-the-dreadful drudgery!
At the sight of a service flag chin instinctively life, shoulders square. The soldier comes out in the man he yield draft age when he starts down town in the morning. He wears a uniform, no insignia, no cap band, no keelward. He does the same work he did before the war, but—bless him—he does it better, better because of the boys overseas, better because America's war is a colorless task here, by such, is Democracy being made safe for the world.

STATE FINANCE IN GOOD SHAPE

Predictions made a year ago by Auditor General Snyder that the revenues of the commonwealth for the year 1918 would establish a new record are believed to be working out according to those who are keeping close watch over the figures. At the same time Mr. Snyder predicted that the revenues would fall below expectations to the extent of practically \$100,000 at the close of business November 30, 1917.

That the former predictions is likely to be realized is shown by the condition of the treasury at the close of business on March 12, the balance in cash being more than \$100,000, which is a larger sum than the treasury has contained since the early days of Gen. Sisson's administration.

DON'T BE A TAX SLACKER

After extending to April 1 the time for filing income tax returns the Government is going to some pains to urge the people to be prompt in complying with the law. Revenue deputies are being scattered throughout the country to give advice and assistance, addresses are made wherever possible, and now the Four Minute Men are to take up the work at the theatres. With all this publicity a taxpayer can plead ignorance or forgetfulness.

This is not to be compared to game drive, because the Government will eventually get all dodgers as slackers. But the purpose is the same as speeding the ship building, raising of food or other activities looking towards the winning of the war. He who makes it necessary for a Federal agent to hunt him down as a tax slacker interferes with the conduct of the war just as surely as one who disables the machinery in munition plant.

German propaganda has time and again told the people that this is a capitalists' war. Yet never has a great war been fought in such truly democratic manner as this. Prices have been limited and profits curtailed. Profiteering has been sternly repressed. War profits have been taxed to such an extent that the value of the shares of concerns making such profits have depreciated from 30 to 50 per cent; while all incomes above a certain minimum pay a progressive

No, there never before has been a war so truly of the people—all the people. It is being fought by all the people—the draft makes sure of that. It is being financed by all the people—the income tax assures that. Verily, it is the people's war. Therefore, we all must serve, whether at the front or at home. No man worthy of citizenship will dodge or slack a duty at this time, and one patriotic duty now is a prompt filing of income tax returns.

GERMANS KILL AMERICAN Y. M. C. A. WOMAN WORKER



MISS WINONA C. MARTIN

Miss Winona C. Martin, the first woman in the casualty list of the Y. M. C. A., died like a soldier. German air raiders killed her in Paris while she was on canteen duty for the Y. M. C. A. Miss Martin's home is at Rockville Center, L. I.

There are two hundred women of Miss Martin's type in the Y. M. C. A. service in France. They are there because the American soldiers asked for them. They wanted women over who would be mothers and sisters to them and keep them in mind their mothers and sisters at home. Miss Martin they may pay the price. Men and women who live in the Y. M. C. A. march to no at of drums. They gain no Croix Guerre. They both go and die without ostentation.

MASHED A FINGER

W. C. Goss, who is employed as a "setter" at the Paterson Brick works, is off duty with a mashed finger which he got out of place between two bricks.

EXPERIENCED SALESLADY WANTED

One who has some knowledge of dressmaking and can take charge of our dress goods department. Inquire at A. W. Leonardson Co. M16-17

LOCAL SPORTS WILL FOREGO PURPLE SOCKS AND VACATIONS; THERE'S A REASON

It has long been understood by the fellow who was willing occasionally to take a chance, and that is general speaking about ninety-nine out of every hundred red-blooded Americans, that the fascinating game of "Big Leagues" was rightly styled "America's national pastime." Be it that it may, however, it does not necessarily follow that Americans are the only people who become more, or less expert at this elusive feat of skill and "rawing power" in fact right here in Clearfield today are a bunch of young fellows who by their constant devotion to and almost nightly engaging thereof, were very justly allowed to style themselves the "Big Leaguers" among local poker artists. They heretofore gave themselves credit with being regular wizards of skill and while they did not claim to be able to tell with any degree of accuracy just how far a toad could jump, they blushing admitted they could spot an easy-mark at sight and knew just how much fleece you could pluck off a lamb's back before he baa-ed. But not now and never again.

The joy in Mudville when the immortal Casey fanned with the bases full was a real old fashioned rainbow compared with the pall of gloom that has settled down over one and all of the expert "Big Leaguers" aforementioned and they are each and every one in favor of peace with Germany with Italy left to fight it out alone.

The cause of this ostracizing of big brother Sylvester, it is a sad story, shipmates.

The "short card" artists is all due to the fact that a spick and span, innocent looking little Italian—we think he was a Calabrese—blew into town last week and after frequenting several thirst emporiums, the pool rooms, bowling alleys and other places of congregation, allowed the fact to become known quietly that he would like to be taught the "great American game de nationale."

No sooner had the word gone round that a new sucker was in sight than the "big leaguers" were up and doing and when a game was finally arranged for the visitor's benefit the regulars were fighting for a place at the table, every fellow wanted to get first crack at him and none willingly essayed the role of pinch hitter. Of course, some of them had to wait, but all were finally accommodated, but none are satisfied now at that. One fellow who had stored up a stock of wealth to use on his vacation decided to stay over and get a crack at the new "Guinea." He did; he didn't take the vacation. Two others had a roll laid by for Easter dinner; their old duds will of this year, and thus it goeth unto the end of the chapter.

Suffice it to say that meek little Italian was there was the goods both ways from the middle and when he decided that x-ant ETAIN NUUN in the entire bunch of "big leaguers" to buy a Hooverized lunch, he quietly effaced himself from the table and departed hence on the quest for his big brother Sylvester.

MOTOR BIKE SPEED FIENDS ARRESTED BY POLICE OFFICER

Officer Carlson is keeping his weather eye open for motor speed fiends and as a result had two young men on the carpet before Mayor Chase last evening charged not only with riding their motor cycles like Helvetia but with failing to provide the machines with their 1918 license haberdashery. The offense was committed on Daisy street on "Patrick's Day." The boys were said to be coming down Daisy street not over seventy miles an hour and refused to stop when commanded to by Officer Carlson. When they dashed by he attempted to get their numbers and thus discovered their nakedness.

Being their first offense this year the Mayor felt like being lenient, and after extracting "ten bones" each from their pay checks and exacting a promise to never offend again they were allowed to go their ways sadder but wiser boys.

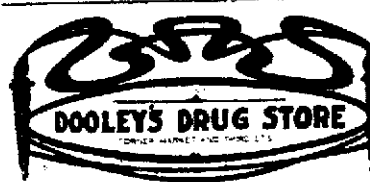
Officer Carlson attempted to capture an automobile driver who went down Third street yesterday morning at 100 miles an hour. This fellow too failed to heed the stop signal wiggled him, but the officer managed to catch his number as he disappeared in a dust cloud and just as soon as he can be located he will also be given a chance to contribute to the borough's upkeep.

Mayor Chase said he is in favor of equal rights to all and special privileges to none and is going to make the speed fiend respect the rights of the pedestrian and other peaceful dwellers in our midst. He has instructed Chief of Police Eddie and Officer Carlson to pick up every automobile driver who drives recklessly about our streets. He says any sane man knows when he is driving recklessly and while he does not propose to have "race courses" made of our streets and the life and limb of our people endangered by a few reckless drivers. There is reason in all things and their must be reason in motor driving—in Clearfield.

The Pittsburgh Pirates may be a rank outsider in baseball, but when it comes to hockey and football Pittsburgh is a regular town.

Jimmy Walsh, the Red Sox outfielder, has enlisted in the navy as a machinist's mate. Being stationed at the Boston Navy yard, Walsh will be available for Jack Barry's middy ball nine.

A clash between Pete Herman and Johnny Erle appears to be the most promising bout between little fellows at the present time. Promoters of St. Paul, Baltimore, Milwaukee and New Orleans are all out to land the match.



N. E. to Lettingers

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR CONGRESS

We are authorized to announce the name of Jonathan Currier of Grapewick, Pa., as a candidate for the office of congress to represent the 21st congressional district composed of Clearfield, Center, Cameron and McKean counties. Subject to the rules of the Republican party. Primary May 21, 1918.

We are authorized to announce the name of Evan J. Jones of Bradford, McKean county, as a candidate for Representative in Congress from the twenty-first district composed of Clearfield, Center, Cameron and McKean counties. Subject to the rules governing the Republican party. P. O. address, Bradford, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of Harry W. Brown of Osceola Mills, Pa., as a candidate for Representative in Congress from the twenty-first Congressional District, subject to the rules governing the Prohibition Party. P. O. Address, Osceola Mills, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of William I. Swoope of Clearfield as a candidate for the office of Congress to represent the 21st Congressional district composed of Clearfield, Center, Cameron and McKean Counties. Subject to the rules of the republican party, Primary May 21st, 1918.

FOR STATE SENATE

We are authorized to announce the name of S. J. Miller of Bigler township, Clearfield county as a candidate for the office of State senator from the 34th Senatorial district of Pennsylvania, subject to the rules governing the Republican party. P. O. Address, Madera, Pa.

FOR ASSEMBLY

We are authorized to announce the name of Dr. A. H. Pidgeon, of Houtzdale, as a candidate for the office of Member of the General Assembly at Harrisburg, subject to the rules of the Republican party. Favors the adoption of the National Prohibition Amendment. P. O. address, Houtzdale, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of D. D. Miller of Penn township, as a candidate for the office of Member of the General Assembly at Harrisburg, subject to the rules of the Republican Party.

We are authorized to announce the name of Dr. Chas. F. Youngberg, of Grass Flat, as a candidate for the office of Member of the General Assembly at Harrisburg, subject to the rules of the Republican party. Post office address Grass Flat, Pa.

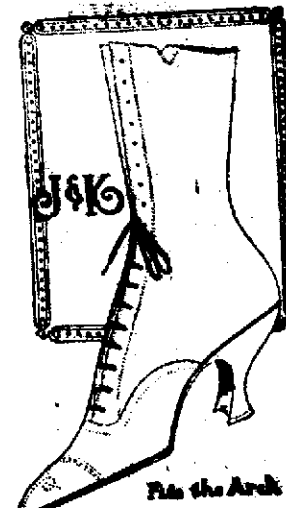
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We are authorized to announce the name of Ed. Lippert of Lawrence Township as a candidate for the office of Member of the General Assembly at Harrisburg, subject to the rules of the Republican Party. Post Office, Clearfield, R. F. D.

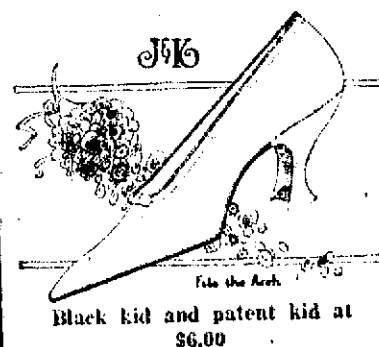
We are authorized to announce the name of Joseph E. Phillips of Clearfield, as a candidate for the office of Member of General Assembly at Harrisburg subject to the rules of the Republican party. Post office address, Clearfield, Pa.

Women's Footwear in Smartest Designs for Spring

With that Easter costume that your'e planning, don't overlook or even put off till the last minute your choice of shoes. For you know that there is no one article that so well puts the finishing



Pin the Arch. This genuine all brown kid at \$10.00



Black kid and patent kid at \$6.00

ing touche---the final snap to a smart costnme as a pair of dainty and well fitted shoes. Your particular kind is here, come in and have them fitted.

LYTLE BROTHERS, CLEARFIELD, PENNA.

DRUNK WITH ETHER HE WALKS INTO THE SUSQUEHANNA RIVER

The ether drunk is the latest stunt to make trouble for the local police force, and while not entirely new it sure does bring the answer. Persons living on both sides of the river in the vicinity of Walnut street were very much surprised last evening about 5 o'clock to see a short, swarthy man march unsteadily down the bank off Front street and begin to dabble his heels in the cooling waters of the West Branch.

The fellows antics were quite funny, but when he got up and started to wade deeper every eye-witness beat it for the telephone to inform the police.

About this time a painter and a man appeared on the scene and with the assistance of the man, the painter who was Emery Hummel succeeded in yanking the "dips" out of the water wagon.

Chief Eddie was on the job in a few minutes in answer to a telephone summons and "September Afternoon," who proved to be Steve Kolsak, of Carbon mines, was hauled down to the lockup to sleep off his jag. The fellow was hilariously drunk and smelled like a major surgical operation. The reason for the hospital aroma was discovered when on searching the drunk at the lockup, a three ounce bottle two-thirds full of ether was unearthed.

Steve had evidently "surrounded" the missing ounce of anesthetic and he was insensible to all the world and then some, although it was remarkable how his running gears tracked. He appeared to have his jag all in the head.

The drug dispenser who needed the money had enough to arm Steve with his jag producer was foxy enough to neglect the little matter of placing a label on the bottle.

The borough treasury is \$10 better off as a result of Steve's "higher intoxication."

SAGE TEA DANDY TO DARKEN HAIR

Its Grandmothers' Recipe to Bring Back Color and Lustre to Hair

You can turn gray, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost overnight if you'll get a 50-cent bottle of "Wye's Sage and Sulphur Compound" at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old famous Sage Tea Recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, are sold annually, says a well known druggist here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

Those whose hair is turning gray or becoming faded have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful.

SHINOLA
AMERICA'S HOME SHOE POLISH
Over 50 Shines every Box
Economy and thrift suggest the use of Shinola for your shoes. It gives the quick dressy shine.
SHINOLA HOME SET
For Your Convenience Ask Nearest Store
BLACK TAN WHITE
The Home of Modern Offices

FANCY JONATHAN APPLES

Delicious for cooking or eating. Fresh shipment just arrived this morning.

50c peck

THORN BROS.



We've Never Shown As Pretty Dress Gingham At 25 Cents The Yard

When Miss Curley bought these gingham she said, "We'll show some of the prettiest dress gingham this spring we've ever shown—scarcity or no scarcity, they're beautiful!"

Well, the gingham came and Miss Curley's judgment couldn't be questioned. Every piece—the plain colors; the stripe effects; the pretty plaids in red and blue, lavender and white and a host of other color combinations—reflects the brightness of spring. These early showings are made for the special service of the home dressmaker. You can make your purchases now and do your sewing during your spare hour before the real warm weather comes.

Ross & Woods

Clearfield Penna.

Income Tax Returns

We have on file the Treasury Decisions and other information necessary to the correct making up of returns; all of which is at your service.

If we can assist you in the preparation of your blank we hall be glad.

The County National Bank

OF CLEARFIELD
THE ONLY BANK IN CLEARFIELD COUNTY
TOTAL RESOURCES \$6,000,000

VOTE FOR---

JOHN RICHELSEN

FOR CONGRESS

CLEARFIELD

CENTRE

CAMERON

McKEAN

Clearfield, Pa., March 20, 1918.
The Clearfield Progress:

Please announce that I am a candidate for congress from the 21st district, subject to the decision of the Republican primaries on May 21st, 1918.

The present hour of our national life is one which may well inspire any patriot to participation in public affairs. Momentous questions of war and of peace are now under discussion and will continue to present delicate and complex problems for solution.

The constituency of the 21st congressional district, which embraces the counties of Cameron, Centre, Clearfield and McKean, will designate by popular vote its choice for the important seat in congress. We will cheerfully submit to the will of the majority.

In presenting my candidacy at this time, I declare my unqualified endorsement and assent to five fundamental matters:

1. Vigorous prosecution of the war to a successful climax.
2. The full weight of American influence for future protection against war, for international arbitration and for world-wide comity of nations.
3. Protection of American industry, with justice to both capital and labor, during the war and thereafter, along the line of policies which constitutes the platform of the Republican party.
4. The prohibition amendment to the constitution.
5. The woman suffrage amendment.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN RICHELSEN.

PRIMARIES MAY 21, 1918

Political Adv.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE

No. 116 December Term 1917
Divorce

Joseph Mecca vs. Esther Mecca
To Esther Mecca:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned Commissioner appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Clearfield County to take the testimony in the above case and report the same to said court with proper form of decree hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the old Masonic building in the First ward or the Borough of Clearfield Pa., on Saturday March 30th at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at which time and place you can if you see fit be present with your witness.

W. A. HAGERTY
Commissioner

M13-20-27

If you don't read every page of
The Progress you are bound to miss
something interesting.

SAYS GERMANS TIED HIM TO
A POLE AS A WAR PRISONER

W. J. PRENDERGAST

W. J. Prendergast, whose mother lives in Chicago, has just got out of Germany after long being a prisoner there, with the statement that he was tied to a pole in a public place by army officials and forced to remain standing forty-eight hours at a time. He said the food was placed in front of the prisoners and they remained in the cold and rain with no protection while gaping crowds looked on.

EXPRESS AGENTS

TRANSFERRED

H. F. Reese, who has been the agent for the Adams Express company at Philipsburg, has been transferred to the Clearfield office, and J. C. Oswalt, a Philipsburg boy becomes his successor. The change, which became effective yesterday morning, is a promotion for both Messrs. Reese and Oswalt. They are both fine fellows, and many friends will be glad to know of their progress.

Every Swiss adult is liable to military service. In the event of a man being physically unfit to serve with the colors he is compelled to pay a small sum annually to exempt him from service, but in time of war he may be called upon to serve in such capacities as he may be able to fill.

These former Yankees, Jimmy Austin, Joe Gedeon and Fritz Maisel, are trying out for infield positions with the St. Louis Browns.

WHAT KIND OF A FIGHTER ARE YOU?

By Caroline Ticknor
Of The Vigilants

This war divides Americans into two classes; those that are fighting and those that are being fought for.

If we are numbered with the fighters, we have relinquished everything to serve our country and its magnificent ideal. We are prepared to lay down life, and all that we hold dear, in order that this land may remain "safe for democracy"; an honorable abode for future generations.

If we are in the second class, these fighters are fighting for us, and the one question we have to answer (every one of us, man, woman, and child), is this: "Are we worth fighting for?"

Upon our answer to that question depends our own salvation, that of this nation, and of the great cause of humanity.

Are we worth fighting for? Not if we are skulking behind our soldiers, hiding behind them, or even standing inertly behind them. We must be found fighting behind them; fighting with body, mind and soul. If we are not prepared to do this we to democracy, woe to the land of Washington and Lincoln, woe to the coming generations!

Fighting with body, that means physical work, physical sacrifice; devotion to the performance of some constructive task; consistency in giving up unnecessary indulgence, and let luxury. We must give of our abundance, give of our scanty store, give of our time and money. Let us examine our physical qualifications for the fight which is before us. What can we do most skillfully, acceptably, efficiently? Let us find out as speedily as possible, and set to work for today, time is more than "money," time is "life" we dare not waste it. Remember we are fighting not hiding. Weary? Yes, so are they. Distasteful? They find it so. Hard? Life is more than hard out in the trenches. Fighting with mind, another task before us, a duty and a privilege. Intelligence; yet every bit of it is needed to reinforce those that have little of this quality. Use it unstintingly to further every national measure; economy of food; production of supplies; saving of fuel. We must fight with our heads, for lo, the enemy within our gates has taxed his cunning to do his utmost to circumvent us. We must keep every faculty of mind alert to offset his insidious propaganda and frustrate his stealthy encroachments.

Fighting with all our soul. That means belief, courage and steadfast faith in the great victory for righteousness that is to be. Work cheerfully, talk confidently, write hopefully. Not pacifism but Peace is coming, if only we fight hard enough behind our fighters.

"Freedom is only a land of dreams" cried Schiller, standing upon German soil. Let us shout to the hills: "Freedom is every nation's birthright, and our own brave men, shoulder to shoulder with our free nations of the earth, are fighting for that freedom." Fighting, inspired by the spirit of 1820, breathing the spirit of 1776 and 1861; and we, fighting behind our fighters, with body, mind and soul must prove ourselves, like our great cause, worth fighting for.

The Progress is described by its readers as the paper that changes its dress every day.

THOMPSON GRAHAM RESIDENCE
DAMAGED BY FIRE

The residence of Thompson Graham on Park avenue was badly damaged by a fire which broke out about 3:15 this morning. When the alarm was given the flames were bursting from the roof in every direction with the result that the upper part of the building was destroyed by fire while the ceilings and walls of the lower floors were badly damaged by water.

The fire is supposed to have started from the flue from the kitchen although there had been no fire in the range since supper time last evening. About all the furniture was saved.

The Elk Hose company with their motor truck were first on the scene and with a line from No. 1 soon controlled the flames.

The loss will amount to a couple of thousand dollars and is a severe blow to Mr. and Mrs. Graham.

A training course for women dental hygienists has been provided at the Harvard dental school.

USE DANCE HALL FOR
WAR RISK BUREAU WORK

(By United Press)
Washington, March 20.—From a

large dance hall in the national Capitol, Uncle Sam, the proud father of the War Risk Insurance, daily sends forth 40,000 checks to relatives of insured soldiers and sailors.

Pressed for office space, the War Risk Insurance Bureau, with an army of 600 check-writing clerks recently marched upon the spacious Center Market Dance hall, and began the task of writing out nearly a million dollars in allowances and allotments to the relatives of Uncle Sam's fighting men.

D. A. R. MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the D. A. R. was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. P. Dowler on West Market street. There was a large attendance and the meeting was most interesting.

Progress Want Ads pay.

Miller's Antiseptic Oil, Known as

Snake Oil

Accomplishing most wonderful results

I want to thank you for your wonderful oil, states Mr. J. C. Gibson, of Jonesboro, Ark. My little girl was very low with diphtheria; I had given her two doses of medicine which cost me \$20 with no results. I bought a 25c bottle of your oil and one application relieved her. Now she is well. It is the greatest remedy I ever saw. Mr. Gibson made this statement before hundreds of people. Mrs. Florence Meager, 284 Whitney St., Hartford, Conn., writes: "I have used your Antiseptic Oil for neuralgia with good effects. Only thing I have ever tried that stopped the pain immediately." Mrs. Williams, Gadsden, Ala., writes: "I have used your great pain oil for rheumatism, stiff joints, also for sore throat, and I want to say that it is the greatest remedy I ever tried. I recommend it to all sufferers. Many cures reported daily from thousands of grateful users of this wonderful oil. Every bottle guaranteed 25c, 50c and \$1.00 or money refunded. At Dooley's Drug store."

Have you Read the "Wants?"

Willard Promises to Defend His Heavyweight Title July 4



Jess Willard, the heavyweight champion, has at last consented to enter the ring to defend his title. More than three years after he won the championship from Jack Johnson it will be placed in jeopardy. For he has signed a preliminary agreement to meet Fred Fulton July 4, at a place to be later selected. The promoter is C. J. Miller, who once owned the now known as 101 Ranch. Fulton is to receive \$20,000 and make a side bet of \$5,000. The remuneration for Willard is not stated. The picture of Willard here shown is the latest taken of him. He was photographed at any army camp where he went to entertain the soldiers.



Louis Dammers

Eyesight Specialist

ONE DAY ONLY

CLEARFIELD

DINELING HOTEL PARLORS

Friday, March 22, 1918

Office Hours—9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

I offer you a fine pair of glasses, including Dammers' eye examination, clear crystal lenses gold filled frame and elegant case as low as

\$1.00

Special Ground Lenses At Lowest Prices

Two pair in one. No lines. No cement. Last for years.

Eye examination by the Dammers Scientific Method, without asking questions, without drops, test cards or charts, absolutely free of charge. Don't fail to take advantage of this remarkable offer.

105 CHESTNUT STREET

Philadelphia

Monthly Visits to Clearfield

Classified Ads For Everybody

HELP WANTED

WANTED—To get in touch with men who can ship pit posts, cross ties, and other mine timber. Highland Pst. and Lumber Company, 733 1st National Bank Bldg., Uniontown, Pa. M11-15t-pd

WANTED—A girl for general housework. No washing. Call H. & C. 178x3 M15-4t

WANTED—By an experienced man with small family, a farm or truck patch with buildings on. Will farm on shares or rent. Call or write at once. In care of Progress. M18-3tp

WANTED—Washwoman who will call for clothes and deliver them when washed. Call The Progress. M20-3tc

WANTED—A girl for general housework...Apply Mrs. W. H. Patterson 202 Front street. M20-1w

WANTED

CASH FOR OLD TEETH
Don't matter if broken. I pay \$2 to \$15.00 per set, also cash for old gold, silver, platinum, dental gold and old gold jewelry. Will send cash by return mail and will hold goods 10 days for sender's approval of my price. Mail to L. Mazer 2007 S. 5th street, Philadelphia, Pa. M6-imp

WANTED TO RENT—Six or seven room house, with modern convenience by permanent tenant. Address A. B. C., care Progress. M20-3tc

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching from Royal white Wyandottes. Winners at four leading shows. Excellent winter layers. C. C. Holt, Winburne. M11-1mch

FOR SALE—Six cylinder car, fine condition. Would make good truck. Fred G. Betts. M11-tf-ch

FOR SALE—A team, five years old and well matched. Inquire of John Croover, Grampian. M18-6tp

FOR SALE—A 5 year old house. Address Po. Box 276, Clearfield, Pa. M19-3tp

FOR SALE—One 1916 motorcycle, 1917 side car, at a bargain. Call on phone 281x2, 1330 Daisy street. M19-6t.

FARM FOR SALE
100 acre farm in good state of cultivation located three miles from Clearfield. Partly underlaid with coal. Good buildings. Excellent spring water. Telephone and rural mail service. Price and terms reasonable. Inquire of T. N. Fulton on the premises or R. J. Fulton at the County National Bank. M19-tf-ch

FOR SALE—Barred rock and single comb white leghorn eggs for hatching. Book your orders early from my blue ribbon stock.

ALSO
Two Prairie State incubators at reasonable prices.
FRANK G. HARRIS,
West Fourth St., Clearfield, Pa. M19-3tp

FOR SALE—1915 Ford. Call H. & C. phone 313x2. In good condition. M20-2t-pd.

English girls are taking up wireless telegraphy.

"Spike" Shannon, who used to pass time with the New York Giants, has been appointed an umpire in the Western league.

All that the University of Pennsylvania basketball team had to do to land the championship was to win whenever Dartmouth lost. And the Green five lost them as fast as they played 'em.

WANTED!

Several families with girls. We have new and up to date houses to rent. Apply personally at the Clearfield Textile Co., West Side.

L COMPANY HAD A MUSICAL TREAT BEFORE GOING INTO LINE

By J. W. Pegler
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

With The American Expeditionary Army, France, Feb. 9. (By Mail.)—The fellows in "L" Company had a "musical evening" back in the rest camp on the night before they went back into the trenches.

The big Swedish supply sergeant played everything he knew on his trench-made fiddle. A young boy from Milwaukee, with a German-sounding name, whose Daddy can't speak English without a Weber and Felds accent, gave the "Star Spangled Banner" on a mouth-organ. Slim, the cook, sang "Poor Boy" which has seventy-five verses, while all the rest of the fellows sang in a harmonious undertone of minors, "pinkie-pinkie-planky-plunk" in imitation of banjos.

Willie, the sixteen-year-old corporal, sang "Cuccaracha," the rollicking Villista song which the boys learned on the border. And Johnson, the captain's "dog-robbor" contributed two wailing Gaelic melodies with some steps that jarred half the candles down off the shelf.

The camp is not far from the front. At one moment when the Captain was "ordering" Johnson to do the dance for the boys there fell a lull in the entertainment and you could plainly hear some machine-gun down in the trenches probably spraying at a Boche working party or patrol.

The Captain was an officer in the Texas Field Artillery—in a regiment ruled by his Dad, an old-time colonel of militia. He says the fellows in "L" Company are the gamest, least complaining crowd of hard-working fighters in the Army.

"L" Company is kind of a big family and the 22-year-old lad from Dal, las rules his crowd with diplomacy, good-fellowship and kineness—recognizing human frailties and making allowances for them.

The fellows in the hut would have felt pretty much hurt if he hadn't come to tonight's "musical evening." They feel that he is their patron and they come to him with their little troubles and some big ones just as a high-school boy back home would go to his Dad and make a clean breast of it when he gets in Dutch with the Prof.

Little Mike Francis from the hills of North Carolina told how he dodged the Revenuers when he was distilling illicit corn-juice on the acres "willed" to him by his old Dad. Mike is the "pigeon" specialist of the company. He claims to have invented a gas-mask which will protect the faithful winged-messengers from the enemy's poison fumes.

A sergeant from Anadarka, Oklahoma the Y. M. C. A.'s first prize just before the Regiment went into the trenches in a contest to advertise the atrocities of the Boche and park up the Regiment's fighting spirit. The attempt that copped the five bucks, follows:

By the rifle on my back
By my old and well-worn pack
By the bayonets we sharpened in the billets down below
When we're holding to a sector
By the Holy Jumping Hector
Colonel, we'll be gott-straffed if the Blankteeth let it go.

And the Boches big and small
Runty ones and Boches tall
Won't keep your boys a-squatting in the ditches very long
For we'll soon be busting thru, sir,

God help Fritzie when we do sir
Let's be going, Colonel Blank, because we're feeling mighty strong
The Sergeant recited his poem and brought down the house.

There was a vigorous knocking on the door.
The captain went to answer the summons and stepped outside to talk with a second lieutenant of an engineer company stationed near the front to build a light railway.

"Captain don't you think your men

ought to be made to consider someone else?" the second lieutenant demanded in an irritated tone. "I've been working since five a. m. and so have my men. We are tired. This noise is disturbing us and it's now 8:30. My men have got to get sleep and so have I."

Always a diplomat the captain apologized.
"We'll have just one more song," he bargained, "and then we'll quit."
They whooped it up:
"The Infantry, the Infantry—ee,
With the dirt behind their ears,
The Infantry, the Infantry,
They can't get any beers,
The Cavalry—the artiller—ee
And the LOWSY engineers,
Well they couldn't tilt heckdy fl.
Well they (ukndt) lick the in-fan-tree
In a hundred thousand years."

FORMER MORRISDALE RESIDENT'S DEATH

George W. Ball, a former well known and highly esteemed resident of Morrisdale, died on Sunday night at 11:40 o'clock at his home in Patton. His death was due to an attack of heart trouble.

The deceased, aged 61 years, was a native of Adams county. His father, Patrick Ball, was a civil war veteran and met his death while in active service in defense of the Union.

Mr. Ball who left Morrisdale, for Patton about three years ago was long identified with the mining interests of the former place. Many friends will be pained to learn of his death.

Besides his wife, who was formerly Miss Matilda Wise, of Allport, deceased is survived by two daughters and one son, Mrs. F. F. Fuller, Mrs. William Mears and Lisle Ball, all of Patton. He is also survived by his age mother, Mrs. Rachel Ball, of Hawk Run; one brother, John Ball, of Morrisdale, and two sisters, Mrs. Mary McElwain, of Hawk Run, with whom the mother makes her home, and Mrs. Margaret Conrad of Nantyglo.

The body will be shipped to Morrisdale on Wednesday evening and the funeral take place on Thursday afternoon from the home of John Ball.

ROCKTON RESIDENT DEAD

Charlotte Clouser, aged 81, one of the best known residents of Rockton, passed away at the home of her son J. S. Clouser, at Rockton, at 3 o'clock yesterday morning, old age being the cause of death. She is survived by her son, J. S. Clouser, of Rockton, also the following daughters, Mrs. Alice Jordan, of Maryland; Clara Schultzberger, of Rockton; Ada Bush of DuBois, and Effie Rowles, of Clearfield.

The deceased had lived at Rockton for 60 years and was a member of the Lutheran church. Funeral services will be held in the Menonite church at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. Selner and interment will be made at Rockton.

STOPS BACKACHE IN FEW MINUTES

Rub lumbago, pain, soreness, stiffness right out with "St. Jacob's Liniment"

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or neuritis has you stiffened up don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacob's Liniment" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right into the pain or ache, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone. This soothing penetrating liniment takes the ache and pain right out and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn or discolor the skin.

Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica and lime back misery so promptly and surely. It never disappoints!

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS CURWENSVILLE

Mrs. W. R. Condo of Philipsburg, visited Mrs. H. L. Burkett over Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Bloomer, of East Stroudsburg, Monroe county, is visiting relatives in town for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knepp spent Sunday with friend at Woodland.

Mrs. B. J. Crisman visited her mother, Mrs. Helper near Grampian the week end.

The funeral of Samuel Bright, son of Mrs. Lola Bright, formerly of Curwensville, who died at his home near DuBois Monday, will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Gospel meetings at the Baptist church continues every evening with increasing interest. Rev. George W. Hatch is preaching a series of very helpful sermons on the Beautitudes. Bring and use your Famous Hymns song book. Come thou with us and we will do thee good.

Mrs. Sue Owens is visiting for a few days at the home of C. F. Hayes of Bridgeport.

Mrs. Thomas Martin returned home yesterday afternoon from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Solley at Greenville.

James Milliron has purchased a house and lot from Percy Smith on South Side.

A large dog foaming at the mouth and probably mad was at large on Ridge avenue Monday and after considerable difficulty was finally killed.

Miss Pauline Roff, teacher of the 2d grade, South Side school, went to the Clearfield hospital for treatment Monday. Miss Louise Karstetter is filling the vacancy until Miss Roff is able to resume her duties as teacher.

John I. Thompson was called to Clearfield yesterday on account of the death of his nephew, Harold Wilson, who died of pneumonia at Allentown about one o'clock yesterday.

A little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Connors near town died of diphtheria yesterday about 12 o'clock.

The St. Patrick's dance at the Moose hall Monday evening was well attended.

A little son of Mr. and Mrs. Blair Porter has been on the sick list for several days threatened with pneumonia.

OSCEOLA MILLS

There were 233 votes for and 24 against the proposition authorizing the Council to purchase a LaFrance fire engine and other additional fire equipment. The small opposition came from a few voters who are not owners of property hence do not have as much at stake as those who have their money invested.

Earl Hobbs who is in a training camp near New York was home for a brief furlough over Sunday. His many friends here will be pleased to know that he has fully recovered from his recent illness which sent him to the camp hospital for a short time.

Arnold Aillard, a student at State College, came home to spend Sunday

"Habgood & Harmony" WILL SWEEP THE STATE IN THE REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES MAY 21 FOR GOVERNOR

The Republicans of Pennsylvania will stand by Republican National Chairman Hays, who says:

1. "Factionalism is the most destructive force in our party."
2. "The purpose of the National Committee and similar committees, is to elect, and not select candidates."

The factional fights of Philadelphia and Harrisburg shall not be dragged into every voting precinct in the State, for the rank and file, including the vast body of dependent Republicans, will vote against both factions.

Habgood is not and will not be the candidate of any faction, clique or leader. He has always been loyal to the party's candidates, regardless of factions, and he welcomes the support of all Republicans from the most modest to the most powerful.

**FACTIONALISM
MEANS DEFEAT
REPUBLICANISM
OVER ALL
MEANS VICTORY**

Habgood favors the National amendment for Prohibition, the Woman's Suffrage, consistent with his open and constant approval for the past twelve years of a nation-wide basis of supporting in his home for the Legislature, only candidates who will vote for them.

Political Adv.

ORDER AWNINGS

Slip covers and your upholstering now. I will call and estimate without obligation to you. No charge until goods are delivered. M18-1w

A. LEA HESS

H. & C. Phone

WEDDINGS CUTLER-SWATSWORTH

Miss Ella Cutler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Cutler of West Front street and Mr. Reece Swatsworth, of Glen Richey, were united in marriage yesterday at the West Side M. E. parsonage by the pastor Rev. Rush.

Miss Hannah Schnedden and Fred Cutler, brother of the bride, were the only attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Swatsworth will reside in Clearfield and their many friends here extend best wishes and congratulations for a prosperous and happy married life.

WANT SCRAPS OF YARN

The Junior Red Cross of the Third Ward schools hereby solicits yarns and yarn scraps for use in knitting six inch squares to be used in comforts for the soldiers. All colors, all weights and any quantity will be gratefully received. Send to Third ward school building or notify pupils and they will call for any donations you may have.

SEED CORN FOR SALE

I have 50 bushels of home grown Golden Dent seed corn which I will dispose of to those desiring same. Call or address A. B. Owens Curwensville, Pa. M19-2tr

Jack Dempsey and Gunboat Smith are to meet in Atlanta this month. Taking a beating is evidently getting to be a habit with the gunner.

BELLEFONTE TO RAISE HOGS

Bellefonte, Pa., March 19.—In order to encourage the public to heed Herbert Hoover's to grow more hogs the Bellefonte Council has abrogated for the period of the war the ordinance prohibiting the housing of hogs within the borough limits; the only proviso being that the pigsty shall be kept sanitary.

USE NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING

Altoona, March 19.—The Win-a-Fellow class of the First Methodist church is going in extensively for

newspaper advertising in order to increase its membership. A fund has been appropriated to finance the publicity drive.

If you've lost something insert it in the Classified section.

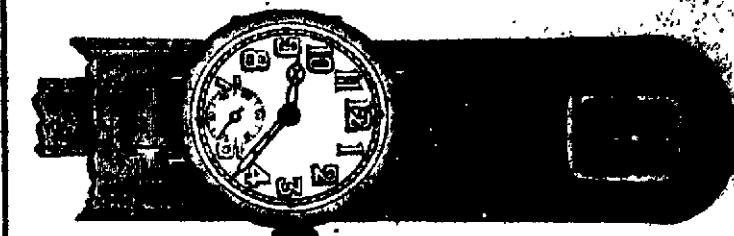
Buck Herzog, Ed Konetchy, Dick Rudolph refuse to sign with Boston Braves for the salary offered.

The Woman's Democratic Club of New York City is to hold a Jefferson Day dinner.

If you think The Progress is a good paper tell your neighbor.

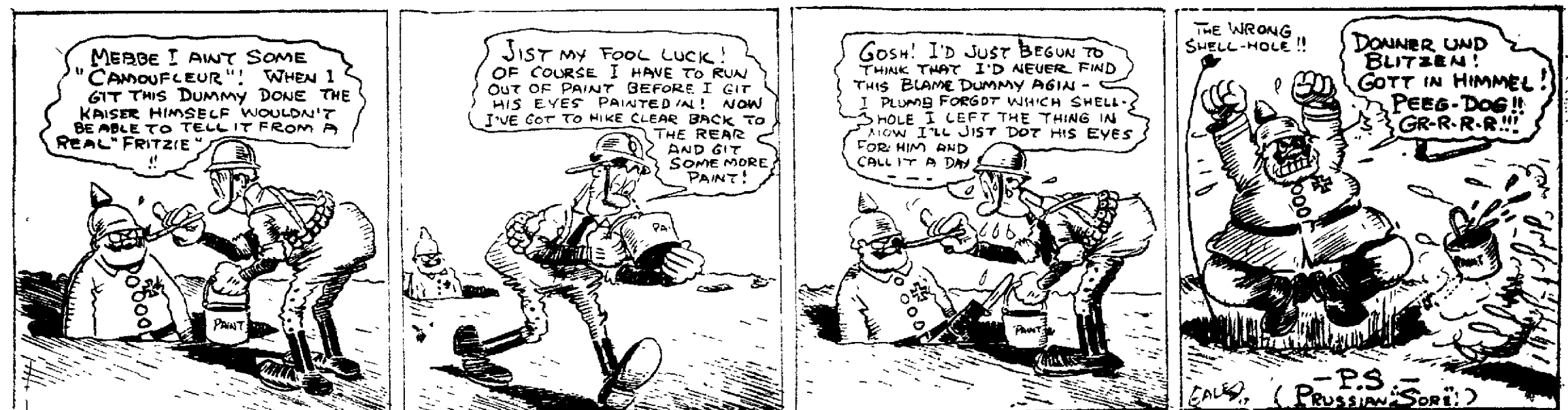
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DETECTIVE MINSER
OF INDIANA DIES
FROM INJURIES

Just a little over two weeks from the day on which he was brutally assaulted while in the performance of his duties at Lucernemines, County Detective Samuel L. Minser, of Indiana, died at the Indiana hospital Tuesday morning at 1 o'clock. Death was due to Bright's disease, but hastened by the injuries which he received in the mining town.

No arrangements had been made for the funeral when this account was written.

He was a public school teacher in the county for four years. In 1903 he went to Arcadia where he resided until a few years ago, when he returned to Indiana. While in Arcadia he engaged in the mercantile business and in 1906 he was appointed postmaster, which position he held with great credit. At different times he held the offices of school director and auditor of Montgomery township. A well-known resident, a prominent citizen, he held the esteem of all.

On May 17, 1917, Mr. Minser was named as Detective for Indiana county, which position he held in a trustworthy manner, being responsible for the bringing to justice of many evildoers of the law. On the evening of March 2, he went to Lucernemines to secure evidence that would tend to the arrest of violators of the liquor laws. Trouble arose in one of the houses and Mr. Minser was rendered unconscious. He was found lying in a pool near the power house early the following Sabbath morning in a semi-conscious condition and suffering at that time from wounds about the head and face. He was brought to the Indiana hospital, but from the first his recovery was a matter of doubt. He had been afflicted with Bright's disease and the injuries he received aggravated his condition, already serious in itself.

On November 2, 1898, Mr. Minser married Martha Gilpatrick, daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Owens) Gilpatrick. He leaves a widow and seven children.

To Strasburg belongs the doubtful honor of having scored the world's highest price record for food since the war began. In Strasburg market recently a large goose was sold for \$70.

SCOUT FINDS CHILD'S SKELETON

Robert Perreault, aged twelve years, of Strasburg, Mass., found the skeleton of a child. He and several other youngsters were "sketching" in the woods when under a clump of leaves he saw a piece of bone. He went to the spot and found the skeleton. He was told to keep it secret, but he told his friends. The boy notified the authorities. It is supposed the child was lost in the woods long ago.

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Temperance Notes

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

EVERY MAN AT HIS BEST!

Men and women as citizens are the product of four environments: The physical, the moral, the industrial and the political.

A physical incompetent by superior qualities of the unconquerable soul may lift himself out of the chains of disease and pain and make his fellows his debtors, but no man will deny me when I say that that which makes for physical incompetency is an enemy of the state.

A moral incompetent cannot be a good citizen.

An industrial incompetent cannot be a good citizen.

A political incompetent cannot be a good citizen.

I submit to you that the liquor institution is the supreme tangible foe of the state, because it is the supreme positive promoter of physical, moral, industrial and political incompetency.

Millions of citizens, men and women, immediately vital to the national and world program of this republic, cannot be at their best until the liquor institution is destroyed. Other and unborn millions are physically, morally, industrially and politically predated by the eugenic taint of alcohol. And America needs every man at his best!—Daniel A. Polling.

BAD FOR THE WASHERWOMAN.

So acute has become the local shortage in washerwomen that it amounts to a "famine," says Robert Patton in the American Issue. It was not always so. In the halcyon days when Denver had saloons and the pay envelopes were being cashed in the third parties, thousands of the wives of drinking men were compelled to take in washing to eke out a slender living for the little family. This condition suited the booze interests to a T. One of the wet newspapers in an exuberant outburst of philanthropy urged the saloonkeepers to send their "family wash to the wives of their patrons" and let the saloonists rake in the pay checks.

But all this is but a dream since this city went dry. Daddy is now spending his money for household supplies and wife has ceased to take in washing—hence the "famine." Verily prohibition has "hurt" the washerwoman as business as well as that of the undertaker and grave digger.

GERMANY UNDER PROHIBITION.

The German army was practically mobilized under prohibition, Miss Margaret Winterer tells in the Union Signal. Germany actually clambered over the wheels of the water wagon, she says, by reviving the law of the state of siege enacted in 1851. "For an unheard of six weeks even beer was under taboo in all German villages. And to these six weeks Germany owes her initial success in the war. But were firmly seated she fell off the water wagon. In October the law of the State of Siege was lifted and there followed the wretched village orgies, and the atrocities in Belgium which have forever blackened Germany's escutcheon."

LUMBERJACKS OPPOSE SALOONS.

A good argument for prohibition is furnished by the action of Washington lumberjacks. About fifty of these men had been fighting fires in Idaho and Washington (both dry states) and refused to go into Montana to perform the same service because they feared that if they exposed themselves to the temptations of a wet state, they would lose all their earnings in the saloons. So they turned down an appeal for help at good wages and remained in dry territory.

Montana's statutory prohibition law, enacted November, 1916, goes into effect December 31, 1918. After that date the state won't be shunned by lumberjacks or by anybody except bootlegs.

ALCOHOL NEUTRALIZES FOOD.

Food is not only wasted in the manufacture of alcoholic drink, but the drink itself renders nugatory the nutritive value of much food that is eaten. Put a lump of sugar into alcohol. It hardens instead of dissolving as it does when placed in water. A half pound of beefsteak, chased by a half pint of beer, does not furnish more than 50 per cent as much nourishment to the body as when it is eaten alone.

PROHIBITION BEST.

Out of an experience which has touched all classes and conditions of men, I am willing to state my belief that in this present crisis the United States would be better able to meet the high duties before it if prohibition were general and absolute.—Gov. Charles C. Whitman of New York.

REFUSE TO BE LIQUOR BOOSTERS.

Inquiry in January, 1917, directed to every publication in the United States, no matter what its character or frequency of issue, revealed that 8,367, or nearly one-third of all the publications in the country, declined to serve as a medium of drink solicitation, says the Encyclopedia of Temperance and Prohibition, published by the Board of Temperance of the M. E. church. At this writing many others might be added to the honor roll.

The Junior league of Amateur Driving clubs will hold its 1918 inter-city meet at the Mineola, N. Y., track next July.

DADDY THE DAIRY

GENTLE COWS ARE SUPERIOR

Animals Seem to Partake of Disposition of Keeper—Economical Grains for Heifers.

To have gentle cows there is nothing like raising them yourself. The cow seems to partake of the disposition of her keeper. No dairyman can afford to have a man in his stable who is rough and quick tempered.

Many well-bred cows are ruined because they were not properly fed and developed into cowhoo. Ground oatmeal and wheat bran with the addition of a small amount of flaxseed meal are the most economical grains for the calf and heifer. These grains, fed in connection with mixed hay, bright corn fodder and wheat straw, will develop bone and muscle and build up a sound, vigorous constitution with a capacity to eat and digest a large quantity of food. It is a common saying "that a cow that is a big eater is also a big milker." And this is true.

A heifer should be well fed before calving and given daily exercise. Calves and heifers should not be tied up in a warm stable with the cows, they thrive best in an open shed with a sheltered yard for exercise.

TO IDENTIFY DAIRY CATTLE

Difficult to Distinguish Certain Heifers From Certain Cows Few Years After Birth.

Every farmer who keeps dairy cattle should adopt some scheme for identifying his stock. It is easy to remember the cows in a herd by their names, but it is quite another thing to be able to distinguish certain heifers from certain cows, two or three years after birth. If one is in daily association with his stock, he might be able to remember that one calf is from this cow, another from that cow, and so on, but if the calves are put away on pasture, the chances are that at the end of a year their ancestry will be forgotten.

With breeders of purebreds, it is strictly essential to be able to trace the ancestry. Registration rules specify this, and when a heifer or bull calf is registered, its markings must be noted on a card provided for the purpose.

VALUE OF PREPOTENT BULLS

High-Class Animal Stands Little Chance of Transmitting Inferior Qualities of Ancestor.

The bull is half the herd. If he is prepotent, as all good bulls are, he is much more than half the herd. The purebred bull, all of whose ancestors for several generations were first-class individuals, stands very little chance of transmitting the qualities of some inferior remote ancestor. In the dairy record center at Farmers' Union, Ontario, there were 14 herds of grade cattle. Seven of these herds, comprising 82 cows, had always used grade sires. The other seven, comprising 84 cows, had used purebred sires for



Purebred Bull.

many years. At creamery prices for milk, one year's record showed a balance of \$31.51 per cow in favor of the seven herds that had used purebred sires.

WINTER EXERCISE FOR CALF

When Weather is Favorable Young Animal Should Be Turned Out in Sheltered Yard.

Each day during the winter, when the weather is favorable, the calves need to be turned out into a sheltered yard for exercise, which is necessary for their proper growth and health. It is also very important that the calves, from a very early age, be given all the pure, fresh water they care to drink each day. The pens should be disinfected frequently. Quicklime is excellent to sprinkle on the floor each time it is cleaned, and a frequent spraying with some standard "carbolic dip solution" will prove beneficial.

COW IS CREATURE OF HABIT

Heifer should be Milked Up to Within Two Months of Next Lactation Period.

The length of time which a cow will milk depends very largely upon the length of her first milking period. While the tendency for a long milking period is supposed to be hereditary in dairy cattle, they are also creatures of habit, and a heifer should, therefore, be milked up to within two months of her next lactation period whether or not she gives enough milk to pay for the milking.

Couple Mack has signed another promising college partner in Claude Davidson, the former Brown university infielder.

Gossip for
Tonight's
Tea Table

Lloyd Graffius has returned to Camp Sherman, Ohio, after spending his furlough with relatives and friends here. Mr. Graffius is with the ambulance unit there.

F. G. Betts transacted business in Altoona yesterday.

Max Weimer attended to business in DuBois yesterday.

Letters have been received here by friends from William Reed saying that he has entirely recovered from an operation for appendicitis which was performed in the base hospital in France. Mr. Reed had been in the hospital there for more than a month. He was among the first from here to go to France and went over with the 15th U. S. Engineers.

J. C. Ramsey of Pittsburgh was in Clearfield on business today.

Miss Mary Cadman, clerk in the coat and suit department of Leitinger Bros. store, is quite ill at her home in Carversville.

H. P. Dowler has returned from a business trip to Greensburg.

J. L. Lieb of Curwensville attended to business in town yesterday.

Christopher Shoff of DuBois was in town on business today.

Miss Maud Kennard left today for Punxsutawney after a visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frances Graham of Philipsburg, motored to Clearfield yesterday and visited friends.

Mrs. Carrie Buchanan spent yesterday with her sister Mrs. James Dale at DuBois.

Mrs. H. S. Whiteman and daughter Helen are visiting their son and brother Ralph who is stationed at Camp Dix, N. J., and also their son and brother Horace, at Camp Merritt, N. J., for a few days.

Mrs. George Deters of Curwensville was taken to the Clearfield hospital today where she will undergo an operation.

Mrs. Mary McNaull and sister Mrs. Reed of Curwensville were among the out of town shoppers here yesterday.

Miss Charlotte Hoel, of Hornell, N. Y., is visiting her cousins, Mrs. John Kennard and Mrs. S. B. Whitmarsh of this city. Miss Hoel is a very interesting visitor, having taught for the past three years in the Mission school in Assyria and Damascus and returned to this country when war was declared.

W. C. Miller has been attending to business in Harrisburg for the past few days.

Mrs. John Brown and daughter Grace of Philipsburg were shopping here yesterday.

Mrs. Evan Lewis of Glen Richey was a Clearfield visitor yesterday.

W. P. Sheeder returned yesterday from Punxsutawney where he attended the Baptist Convention.

W. F. Reiter of Keewardin attended to business in town today.

Mrs. Charles Noll of Bellefonte is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cardon of Cherry street.

Abe Shapiro has returned from Lock Haven where he attended the funeral of his uncle Mr. George Shapiro and cousin Abe Jacobson.

Harold Wilson was operated upon for appendicitis this morning at the Clearfield hospital.

Mrs. William Heisenrath and Miss Jennie Smith of Lumber City were Clearfield visitors and shoppers today.

Mrs. Wade Stewart has returned from East Liverpool, Ohio, where she visited Mrs. Rex Montgomery for several weeks.

Gordon Gearhart of Philipsburg was in town on business yesterday.

Mrs. Robert Morgan of Glen Richey was shopping here yesterday.

Mrs. G. N. Clute and mother Mrs. E. M. Thompson of Curwensville were shopping here yesterday.

Mrs. Clara Thompson and niece Miss Powell, of Curwensville, were Clearfield visitors yesterday.

Rev. John P. McCurdy left this morning for Newberry to attend Conference.

Mrs. John Ardary and daughter Marian of Curwensville were Clearfield shoppers yesterday.

James L. McGonigal of Pottersdale was in town on business yesterday.

Frank Patchin of Burnside is spending a few days here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldrake of Crystal Springs Camp were shoppers in our stores today.

Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Blair of Curwensville were shopping here yesterday.

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By Those Planning Early Spring Clothes

Our silk and dress goods department is making an early bid for your patronage—and in a manner that will meet with your entire approval, for we have assembled only the most desirable weaves, colors and designs that are to be worn this season.

Here you will find fabrics that are being used in the ready-to-wear garments fashioned for Spring, so you may choose from the collection shown with confidence. The wise home dressmaker always buys early, for she then has ample time to plan her Spring clothes and to determine upon a style best appropriate for wearing with her other garments. The materials include among the most staple a favored fabrics, such as new materials as new silk gingham and a number of novelty wool materials in plaids and other effects.

New Foulard Silks at \$2.00 a Yard

32 inches wide, white backgrounds with printed designs, blue and brown. Some show very large effects and others a combination of smaller designs as well as the popular coin sports. All the designs shown are new and original. The colorings are rich and desirable. You will find, too, several entirely new patterns in Standard fashion books showing the use of foulard silks for Spring and Summer dresses.

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CLEARFIELD, PENNSYLVANIA, WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH, 20, 1918

BAKER IN FRONT LINE TRENCHES CALLS THEM "LINE OF FREEDOM"

GERMAN SHELL BURSTING CLOSE TO THE SECRETARY ENLIVENS VISIT OF OUR WAR MINISTER TO FRANCE

CHATS WITH ARCHIE ROOSEVELT

By Fred S. Ferguson
United Press Staff Correspondent
With the American Army in France
March 19—Secretary Baker was in the front line trenches under shell fire early today scanning No Man's Land from the front line posts. "Now, I have seen the line of freedom," he exclaimed.

The entire sector was lighted up with burning shrapnel. There were just four in the party—Baker, a division general, a major from the press sector and a guide. The other members of the party were extremely nervous regarding Baker's welfare, but he was obviously cool.

Returning from the trench a 105 Caliber German shell burst within 40 yards of the Secretary's automobile. Baker saw many men from Ohio he knew, both officers and rankers. Baker visited Captain Archie Roosevelt and chatted for some time praising Roosevelt's gallantry. He also talked with other wounded men.

The visit to the hospital followed an inspection of the Toul front. Baker and his party motored through shattered villages to division headquarters. The route traversed was in a dangerous area in an open country. One of the villages on the route housed American regimental officers. It was the most utterly demolished of any visited. The house that housed the officers was a skeleton of a stone house. Shells fall on the village with great frequency. Everyone of its inhabitants is compelled to wear steel hats and gas masks. While Baker was in the trenches American aeroplanes flew over the lines despite the heavy fire from Boche anti-aircraft guns.

When Baker entered the trenches he wore a khaki coat, a raincoat, a tin hat and carried a gas mask. Previously he had been given a gas mask drill. He chatted with the men frequently asking "What part of Ohio are you from?" Some of the men recognized the Secretary of War and stood up stiffly at attention. Baker asked them how things were going and how they were feeling. The unanimous opinion was that everything was "quiet." Some Boche shells passed over and the Secretary asked what size they were. A listening post sentry assured the Secretary that "the Americans shelled better than the Boche."

When Baker arrived at some brigadier headquarters seven batteries were being shelled. There were loud explosions and the enemy shells struck in the vicinity. When he had been assured there were no casualties his automobile was speeded up to take him out of the danger zone. Returning to the rear the Secretary visited the men who were billeted in a barn. He clambered up a ladder to the hay loft and asked about the men's health. One of them replied he had a good grip.

"Well you are getting a good grip on the Kaiser anyhow," the Secretary replied.

Secretary Baker has given his authority for an American soldier to wear a foreign decoration, according to dispatches today from Fred S. Ferguson, United Press staff correspondent with Baker in France.

"I got the war cross but I can't wear it," declared a wounded American officer recently presented with the French war cross, to Baker.

"As Secretary of War I give you authority to wear it," Baker replied.

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS AWARDED THREE

By Fred S. Ferguson
United Press Staff Correspondent
With the American Army in France
March 18—The first men to receive the new American war decoration for extraordinary heroism were Lieutenant Hugh N. Greene, of the field artillery and Sergeant William Norton and Pat Walsh. All received the Distinguished Service Cross. Greene was wounded by a grenade during a recent German raid on the Toul front. He was in a dug out and refused to surrender. After being wounded he wounded a couple Boches with his pistol and then came out of the trench. Norton's and Walsh's feats have been previously narrated. No crosses were available for presentation at the time they were won.

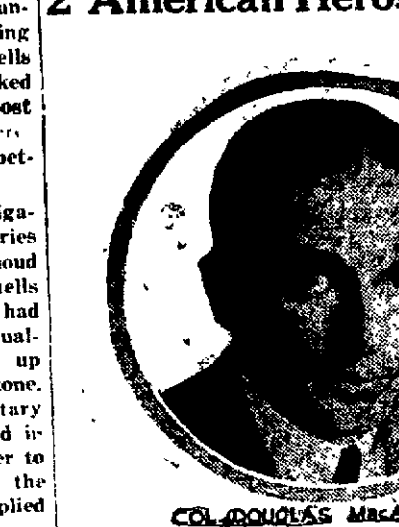
The D. S. C. was created by the order of President Wilson. The cross is for bestowal in case of "extraordinary heroism." It is bronze.

TREATING THEM O. K.

Peking, March 20—Chinese and Japanese ambassadors attending a meeting given to the American diplomatic corps have arrived in Manchuria under safe conduct of the Russian red guard, according to dispatches received here today.

health," he said. "Your community and the nation will be proud of your good conduct and clean living which goes with clean, hard fighting and the principles for which you fight."

2 American Heros in Attack on Germans



COLONEL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR

Colonel Douglas MacArthur, son of General Arthur MacArthur, has been given the Croix de Guerre by the French government for heroic action. He was censor in the War Department when the war began, but he demanded that he be sent to the front. Sergeant Hank Gowdy, whose name has been mentioned as one of the Americans who attacked and repulsed the Germans in the Lunerville region, was catcher for the Boston National league baseball club when it won the pennant in 1917. Gowdy's heavy batting won the pennant. He was the first big league to enlist for Uncle Sam.

"To your relatives scattered throughout the states I will send a message telling them that you are well fed, and do not lack the supplies and attentions which safeguard your

DISLOYAL MONTANA JUDGE LIKELY TO BE IMPEACHED

(By United Press)
Helena, Mont., March 20.—Sitting as a court of impeachment, the senate of the Montana State Legislature convened today to determine the truth of charges of disloyalty and misfeasance made against Charles L. Crum, of Forsyth, judge of the Fifteenth District by the House of Representatives. Members of the House named a board of managers to prosecute the charges against Crum and witnesses for both sides are streaming in from Rosebud and Musselshell counties.

Articles of impeachment were adopted by the lower house at the special war session last month after over 10 affidavits were submitted by Governor Sam Stewart and the Rosebud County Committee of 100. These supported charges made by the committee that Crum had made statements disloyal to the government; had criticized the president; had declared the draft law unconstitutional, and sought to condone the Lusitania sinking.

It is also charged that Crum, when here as a character witness for a Rosebud county man charged with treasonable utterances, pointed a gun at a federal attorney.

FROM HERE AND THERE

A motion picture outfit has been sent from England for use in the camps surrounding Jerusalem.

The salary of the President of Switzerland amounts to \$2,200 a year, with an additional \$4,000 for expenses.

England is using nearly a million dollars' worth of castor oil a year for lubricating the engines of airplanes.

At a dinner party in London recently it was found that four private soldiers who were among the guests had travelled 35,000 miles at their own expense to fight for the Motherland. One of them had come all the way from the Yukon, another from the wilds of Western Australia, the third from the Straits Settlements, and the fourth from Central Africa.

In addition to this work Boys Farm Camps will be established under the direction of the Federal Department and State Committee of Public Safety.



SERGEANT HANK GOWDY

The weekly pay will be \$2.00 per week for first week and \$4.00 per week thereafter.

A uniform of khaki has been decided upon and each boy will be required to provide himself with his own uniform at a nominal expense.

The cost of transportation to State College will be provided out of a \$60,000 fund set aside for such purpose in Pennsylvania, while it is expected the return fare will be furnished by the town in which the high school is located.

T. L. WALL WADE FARM LABOR MANAGER

Unique Plan Outlined For As- sisting Farmers to Plant And Harvest Big Crops

A SENSIBLE APPOINTMENT

An important meeting of the County Committee of Public Safety was held in the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon the purpose of the meeting being to prepare plans for inaugurating a strenuous campaign to supply the farmers of Clearfield county with adequate farm help in order that food production might be placed at the highest notch possible the coming season.

The Federal Department of Agriculture and the State Committee of Public Safety are determined that all necessary help shall be secured for the farms and desire to impress upon the farmers the fact that the labor they need for planting, cultivating, and harvesting will be supplied in order that the farmer may plan their work on a scale commensurate with the demands for increased food supply.

R. W. Meyer, a representative of the Federal Department of Agriculture, who has charge of their work in this regard in Pennsylvania, was at yesterday's meeting and presented the necessity for increased crops and outlined the plan to secure the necessary farm labor.

Following his suggestion or plan a county Farm Labor Manager was selected who will work in conjunction with the County Farm Bureau. It will be the duty of Farm Labor Manager to visit the farmers and find out just what labor they stand in need of to carry out their plans. In addition thereto he will be authorized to appoint local committees in each community (with a leader for each, whose duty it will be to see that labor is placed where it is required. This local committee will keep the Labor Manager and Farm Bureau informed of conditions in each district or community and in this way the needs can be scientifically determined and supplied and the greatest good accomplished.

The Farm Labor Manager will also visit the different industrial plants or concerns in the county and canvass these plants with the object of determining what men and how many men can be spared from time to time for work on the farms.

In addition to this work Boys Farm Camps will be established under the direction of the Federal Department and State Committee of Public Safety. It is the purpose to canvass the different High Schools throughout the county and select boys to occupy these camps and work upon the farms. Under this plan the boys after being selected are required to undergo a physical examination and if accepted are then sent to Pennsylvania State College for a two week training course, after which they are placed in the different communities. A leader and a co-leader will be selected for each camp and will be placed in charge. Each camp will contain from twelve to twenty four boys. Camps will be located in them or vacant buildings utilized. The boys will be transported from the camps to the farms each morning and returned in the evening.

The boys will be paid according to the work they are able to do. The scale of wage will be \$1.25 per day the first week for day workers, and \$1.50 per day the second week and thereafter.

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This plan is felt will result in great good to the boys and will also provide a large amount of labor for the farms.

The Farm Labor Manager chosen for Clearfield County is T. L. Wall. He has already taken on his job and will have his headquarters with County Farm Agent Kearney in the Farm Bureau offices in the Kew stone building.

CORBETT HEADS BOYS' WORKING RESERVE

Campaign Now On To Register School Boys For Jobs On Farms This Summer

BOYS WILL NOT BE SLACKERS

The following story is of great importance at this time. Men and boys are called upon to do big things. The government has named Secretary R. M. Corbett of the local Y. M. C. A. as chairman of the Boys' Working Reserve and Joseph E. Phillips as chairman of the Public Service reserve. Let every boy in town talk this over with Mr. Corbett and men who are thinking of working on the farms this summer should see Mr. Phillips. These men are appointed for this county.

The serious shortage of farm labor threatens to reduce the agricultural production of Pennsylvania and other eastern states at a time when increase production is vitally necessary to the national welfare. The U. S. department of labor, through its recruiting division, the United States Public Service reserve inaugurated on March 18, 1918, a two week's drive to recruit farm labor, in which you are earnestly requested to cooperate. The time has been delayed to that because of the bad psychology of attempting to recruit farm workers in winter weather.

Under the United States Public Service Reserve will be enlisted men both with and without farm experience to serve on farms at prevailing wages. It is absolutely essential, however, to secure as many men as possible having farm experience, including retired farmers, college students, and men in other occupations not essential to the national welfare at this time.

Under the United States Boys' Working Reserve, which is the Junior Division of the United States Public Service reserve, boys of high school grades between 16 and 21 years of age will be recruited. It is essential that these young men should begin to get farm experience now, in order that their valuable service in agriculture may be available to the nation during the next few years.

Recruiting officers both of the Senior and Junior divisions of this service have been established in every community of this state.

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REPORT EMPOWERING BILL Washington, March 20.—The Senate Judiciary committee today bowed to administration pressure. By a vote of 11 to 7 reported fa- vorably to the Senate the Over- man empowering bill.

SHAPLAN'S CABLE

By Jos. Shaplan
(Copyrighted by United Press, 1918.)
Petrograd, March 19. (Night.)—Foreign Minister Tchicherin declared today that the Soviet Commissary had considered the possibility that the United States would oppose Japan's ventures in the far East. He said he believed negotiations toward that end between the United States and Russia were possible. War Commissary Trotsky declared as opposed to Tchicherin's statement declaring Russia would not obligate itself to "capitalist America". Trotsky emphasized that the Soviet would not seek a formal alliance with the United States but said they hoped the United States would desire to live in friendship and co-operation with Russia as a means of protecting itself against Japan's encroachment.

DESERTER'S FATHER AN ENGINEER AT LOCK HAVEN

Elvin R. Wier, of Lock Haven, who committed suicide at Detroit yesterday, after having deserted from the army, was the son of Harry Wier, an engineer at the plant of the Lock Haven Electric Light company. The following is from the Lock Haven Express: The Express found Mr. Wier at his work at the electric light plant and after learning that he had a son, Elvin Royman Wier, and that he also had a daughter Miss Clara Wier, who had been raised at the home of George Springer, of Caldwell, but who was now working at the silk mill in this city, told Mr. Wier of the news dispatch.

There is little doubt in Mr. Wier's mind that the young man in question is his son and he has so telegraphed the police authorities at Muskegon. They had received a letter from the young man around Christmas of last year from Muskegon, stating that he was going to join the army and was going to France.

Young Wier would have been 21 years of age on April 12. He left Lock Haven five years ago and has not been back since that time.

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FIRST CLEARFIELD BOY TO GIVE LIFE FOR COUNTRY

Harold P. Wilson, Son Of Mrs. Smith V. Wilson, Dies Of Pneumonia At Allentown, Pa.

BODY WILL ARRIVE TONIGHT

First Sergeant Harold Wilson, member of the Cornell unit at the U. S. hospital training camp at Allentown Pa., passed away at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, following a week's illness from an attack of pleuro pneumonia in the 25th year of his age.

Sergeant Wilson had been in poor health for several months past, having contracted a heavy cold shortly after the first of the year, which developed into bronchitis and grippe. He was home on furlough a few weeks ago and was far from being in his usual rugged health.

Some ten days ago he was taken down with pneumonia and his weakened system rapidly succumbed to the ravages of the disease. His mother was apprised on Friday last of his condition and his brother Cecil Wilson left the hospital at 6 o'clock much pleased over the condition of his brother, but at 9 o'clock a sudden change for the worse occurred which continued until the end came as above stated.

Harold P. Wilson was the second son of the late Smith V. and Mertie L. Irvin Wilson and was born in Clearfield March 22nd 1893.

He attended the Clearfield school but before graduation entered a preparatory school and following a course there enrolled as a student at Cornell. Last May or June he suffered in the hospital from pneumonia and was advanced to the rank of first or top sergeant of the company. He was a fine young man, well equipped to make a name for himself in the world, and his untimely death while in the service of his country is greatly to be regretted by all who had the pleasure of his personal acquaintance. His mother and brother are heart-broken at their bereavement and have the sympathy of the entire community.

Sergeant Wilson's remains, accompanied by a military escort in charge of Huston Hartwick, a fellow soldier and boyhood friend, will arrive in Clearfield this evening on the 6:30 Pennsylvania train. The funeral will be held from the family home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in Hillcrest cemetery.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 20, 1918.

THE DAILY GRIND

There's a new glory about it—the same old morning-till-night-to-the-dreadful drudgery!
At the sight of a service flag chin instinctively life, shoulders square. The soldier comes out in the man he yield draft age when he starts down town in the morning. He wears a uniform, no insignia, no cap band, no keelward. He does the same work he did before the war, but—bless him—he does it better, better because of the boys overseas, better because America's war is a colorless task here, by such, is Democracy being made safe for the world.

STATE FINANCE IN GOOD SHAPE

Predictions made a year ago by Auditor General Snyder that the revenues of the commonwealth for the year 1918 would establish a new record are believed to be working out according to those who are keeping close watch over the figures. At the same time Mr. Snyder predicted that the revenues would fall below expectations to the extent of practically \$100,000 at the close of business November 30, 1917.
That the former predictions are likely to be realized is shown by the condition of the treasury at the close of business on March 12, the balance in cash being more than \$100,000, which is a larger sum than the treasury has contained since the early days of Gen. Sisson's administration.

DON'T BE A TAX SLACKER

After extending to April 1 the time for filing income tax returns the Government is going to some pains to urge the people to be prompt in complying with the law. Revenue deputies are being scattered throughout the country to give advice and assistance, addresses are made wherever possible, and now the Four Minute Men are to take up the work at the theatres. With all this publicity a taxpayer can plead ignorance or forgetfulness.

This is not to be compared to game drive, because the Government will eventually get all dodgers as slackers. But the purpose is the same as speeding the ship building, raising of food or other activities looking towards the winning of the war. He who makes it necessary for a Federal agent to hunt him down as a tax slacker interferes with the conduct of the war just as surely as one who disables the machinery in munition plant.

German propaganda has time and again told the people that this is a capitalists' war. Yet never has a great war been fought in such truly democratic manner as this. Prices have been limited and profits curtailed. Profiteering has been sternly repressed. War profits have been taxed to such an extent that the value of the shares of concerns making such profits have depreciated from 30 to 50 per cent; while all incomes above a certain minimum pay a progressive

No, there never before has been a war so truly of the people—all the people. It is being fought by all the people—the draft makes sure of that. It is being financed by all the people—the income tax assures that. Varily, it is the people's war. Therefore, we all must serve, whether at the front or at home. No man worthy of citizenship will dodge or slack a duty at this time, and one patriotic duty now is a prompt filing of income tax returns.

GERMANS KILL AMERICAN Y. M. C. A. WOMAN WORKER



MISS WINONA C. MARTIN

Miss Winona C. Martin, the first woman in the casualty list of the Y. M. C. A., died like a soldier. German air raiders killed her in Paris while she was on canteen duty for the Y. M. C. A. Miss Martin's home is at Rockville Center, L. I.

There are two hundred women of Miss Martin's type in the Y. M. C. A. service in France. They are there because the American soldiers asked for them. They wanted women over who would be mothers and sisters to them and keep them in mind their mothers and sisters at home. Miss Martin they may pay the preme price. Men and women who live in the Y. M. C. A. march to no at of drums. They gain no Croix Guerre. They both go and die without ostentation.

MASHED A FINGER

W. C. Goss, who is employed as a "setter" at the Paterson Brick works, is off duty with a mashed finger which he got out of place between two bricks.

EXPERIENCED SALESLADY WANTED

One who has some knowledge of dressmaking and can take charge of our dress goods department. Inquire at A. W. Leonardson Co. M16-17

LOCAL SPORTS WILL FOREGO PURPLE SOCKS AND VACATIONS; THERE'S A REASON

It has long been understood by the fellow who was willing occasionally to take a chance, and that is general speaking about ninety-nine out of every hundred red-blooded Americans, that the fascinating game of "draw" was rightly styled "American national pastime." Be that as it may, however, it does not necessarily follow that Americans are the only people who become more, or less expert at this elusive feat of skill and "rawing power" in fact right here in Clearfield today are a bunch of young fellows who by their constant devotion to and almost nightly engaging thereof, were very justly allowed to style themselves the "Big Leaguers" among local poker artists. They heretofore gave themselves credit with being regular wizards of skill and while they did not claim to be able to tell with any degree of accuracy just how far a toad could jump by the warts on his back, they severally blushing admitted they could spot an easy-mark at sight and knew just how much fleece you could pluck off a lamb's back before he baa-ed. But not now and never again.

The joy in Mudville when the immortal Casey fanned with the bases full was a real old fashioned rainbow compared with the pall of gloom that has settled down over one and all of the expert "Big Leaguers" aforementioned and they are each and every one in favor of peace with Germany with Italy left to fight it out alone.

The cause of this ostracizing of big brother Sylvester is a sad story, shipmates. The "short card" artists is all due to the fact that a spick and span, innocent looking little Italian—we think he was a Calabrese—blew into town last week and after frequenting several thirst emporiums, the pool rooms, bowling alleys and other places of congregation, allowed the fact to become known quietly that he would like to be taught the "great American game de nationale."

No sooner had the word gone round that a new sucker was in sight than the "big leaguers" were up and doing and when a game was finally arranged for the visitor's benefit the regulars were fighting for a place at the table, every fellow wanted to get first crack at him and none willingly essayed the role of pinch hitter. Of course, some of them had to wait, but all were finally accommodated, but none are satisfied now at that. One fellow who had stored up a stock of wealth to use on his vacation decided to stay over and get a crack at the new "Guinea." He did; he didn't take the vacation. Two others had a roll laid by for Easter dinner; their old duds will of this year, and thus it goeth unto the end of the chapter.

Suffice it to say that meek little Italian was there was the goods both ways from the middle and when he decided that x-ant ETAIN NUUN in the entire bunch of "big leaguers" to buy a Hooverized lunch, he quietly effaced himself from the table and departed hence on the quest for his big brother Sylvester.

It is a sad story, shipmates.

MOTOR BIKE SPEED FIENDS ARRESTED BY POLICE OFFICER

Officer Carlson is keeping his weather eye open for motor speed fiends and as a result had two young men on the carpet before Mayor Chase last evening charged not only with riding their motor cycles like Helvetia but with failing to provide the machines with their 1918 license haberdashery. The offense was committed on Daisy street on "Patrick's Day." The boys were said to be coming down Daisy street not over seventy miles an hour and refused to stop when commanded to by Officer Carlson. When they dashed by he attempted to get their numbers and thus discovered their nakedness.

Being their first offense this year the Mayor felt like being lenient, and after extracting "ten bones" each from their pay checks and exacting a promise to never offend again they were allowed to go their ways sadder but wiser boys.

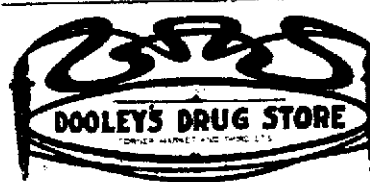
Officer Carlson attempted to capture an automobile driver who went down Third street yesterday morning at 100 miles an hour. This fellow too failed to heed the stop signal wiggled him, but the officer managed to catch his number as he disappeared in a dust cloud and just as soon as he can be located he will also be given a chance to contribute to the borough's upkeep.

Mayor Chase said he is in favor of equal rights to all and special privileges to none and is going to make the speed fiend respect the rights of the pedestrian and other peaceful dwellers in our midst. He has instructed Chief of Police Eddie and Officer Carlson to pick up every automobile driver who drives recklessly about our streets. He says any sane man knows when he is driving recklessly and while he does not propose to have "race courses" made of our streets and the life and limb of our people endangered by a few reckless drivers. There is reason in all things and their must be reason in motor driving—in Clearfield.

The Pittsburgh Pirates may be a rank outsider in baseball, but when it comes to hockey and football Pittsburgh is a regular town.

Jimmy Walsh, the Red Sox outfielder, has enlisted in the navy as a machinist's mate. Being stationed at the Boston Navy yard, Walsh will be available for Jack Barry's middy ball nine.

A clash between Pete Herman and Johnny Erle appears to be the most promising bout between little fellows at the present time. Promoters of St. Paul, Baltimore, Milwaukee and New Orleans are all out to land the match.



N. E. to Lettingers

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR CONGRESS

We are authorized to announce the name of Jonathan Currier of Grapewick, Pa., as a candidate for the office of congress to represent the 21st congressional district composed of Clearfield, Center, Cameron and McKean counties. Subject to the rules of the Republican party. Primary May 21, 1918.

We are authorized to announce the name of Evan J. Jones of Bradford, McKean county, as a candidate for Representative in Congress from the twenty-first district composed of Clearfield, Center, Cameron and McKean counties. Subject to the rules governing the Republican party. P. O. address, Bradford, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of Harry W. Brown of Osceola Mills, Pa., as a candidate for Representative in Congress from the twenty-first Congressional District, subject to the rules governing the Prohibition Party. P. O. Address, Osceola Mills, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of William I. Swoope of Clearfield as a candidate for the office of Congress to represent the 21st Congressional district composed of Clearfield, Center, Cameron and McKean Counties. Subject to the rules of the republican party, Primary May 21st, 1918.

FOR STATE SENATE

We are authorized to announce the name of S. J. Miller of Bigler township, Clearfield county as a candidate for the office of State senator from the 34th Senatorial district of Pennsylvania, subject to the rules governing the Republican party. P. O. Address, Madera, Pa.

FOR ASSEMBLY

We are authorized to announce the name of Dr. A. H. Pidgeon, of Houtzdale, as a candidate for the office of Member of the General Assembly at Harrisburg, subject to the rules of the Republican party. Favors the adoption of the National Prohibition Amendment. P. O. address, Houtzdale, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of D. D. Miller of Penn township, as a candidate for the office of Member of the General Assembly at Harrisburg, subject to the rules of the Republican Party.

We are authorized to announce the name of Dr. Chas. F. Youngberg, of Grass Flat, as a candidate for the office of Member of the General Assembly at Harrisburg, subject to the rules of the Republican party. Post office address Grass Flat, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of Hon. A. S. Moulthrop of DuBois, Pa., as a candidate for the office of Member of the General Assembly at Harrisburg, subject to the rules of the Republican party. Post Office, DuBois, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of Ed. Lippert of Lawrence Township as a candidate for the office of Member of the General Assembly at Harrisburg, subject to the rules of the Republican Party. Post Office, Clearfield, R. F. D.

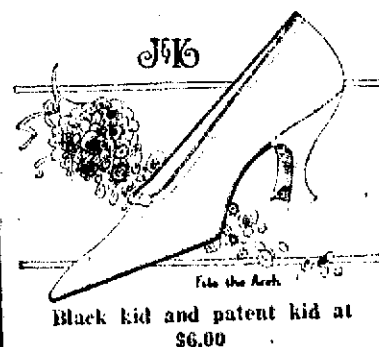
We are authorized to announce the name of Joseph E. Philips of Clearfield, as a candidate for the office of Member of General Assembly at Harrisburg subject to the rules of the Republican party. Post office address, Clearfield, Pa.

Women's Footwear in Smartest Designs for Spring

With that Easter costume that your'e planning, don't overlook or even put off till the last minute your choice of shoes. For you know that there is no one article that so well puts the finishing



This genuine all brown kid at \$10.00



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ing touche---the final snap to a smart costnme as a pair of dainty and well fitted shoes. Your particular kind is here, come in and have them fitted.

LYTLE BROTHERS, CLEARFIELD, PENNA.

DRUNK WITH ETHER HE WALKS INTO THE SUSQUEHANNA RIVER

The ether drunk is the latest stunt to make trouble for the local police force, and while not entirely new it sure does bring the answer. Persons living on both sides of the river in the vicinity of Walnut street were very much surprised last evening about 5 o'clock to see a short, swarthy man march unsteadily down the bank off Front street and begin to dabble his heels in the cooling waters of the West Branch.

The fellows antics were quite funny, but when he got up and started to wade deeper every eye-witness beat it for the telephone to inform the police.

About this time a painter and a man appeared on the scene and with the assistance of the man, the painter who was Emery Hummel succeeded in yanking the "dips" out of the water wagon.

Chief Eddie was on the job in a few minutes in answer to a telephone summons and "September Afternoon," who proved to be Steve Kolsak, of Carbon mines, was hauled down to the lockup to sleep off his jag. The fellow was hilariously drunk and smelled like a major surgical operation. The reason for the hospital aroma was discovered when on searching the drunk at the lockup, a three ounce bottle two-thirds full of ether was unearthed.

Steve had evidently "surrounded" the missing ounce of anesthetic and he was insensible to all the world and then some, although it was remarkable how his running gears tracked. He appeared to have his jag all in the head.

The drug dispenser who needed the money had enough to arm Steve with his jag producer was foxy enough to neglect the little matter of placing a label on the bottle.

The borough treasury is \$10 better off as a result of Steve's "higher intoxication."

SAGE TEA DANDY TO DARKEN HAIR

Its Grandmothers' Recipe to Bring Back Color and Lustre to Hair

You can turn gray, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost overnight if you'll get a 50-cent bottle of "Wye's Sage and Sulphur Compound" at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old famous Sage Tea Recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, are sold annually. It is a well known druggist here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

Those whose hair is turning gray or becoming faded have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful.

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AMERICA'S HOME SHOE POLISH
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Economy and thrift suggest the use of Shinola for your shoes. It gives the quick dressy shine.
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BLACK TAN WHITE
The Home of Modern Offices

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When Miss Curley bought these gingham she said, "We'll show some of the prettiest dress gingham this spring we've ever shown—scarcity or no scarcity, they're beautiful!"

Well, the gingham came and Miss Curley's judgment couldn't be questioned. Every piece—the plain colors; the stripe effects; the pretty plaids in red and blue, lavender and white and a host of other color combinations—reflects the brightness of spring. These early showings are made for the special service of the home dressmaker. You can make your purchases now and do your sewing during your spare hour before the real warm weather comes.

Ross & Woods

Clearfield Penna.

Income Tax Returns

We have on file the Treasury Decisions and other information necessary to the correct making up of returns; all of which is at your service.

If we can assist you in the preparation of your blank we hall be glad.

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A Thrift Stamp Every Washday

The money saved in fuel will pay for it if you wash with Fels-Naptha soap.

Fels-Naptha makes boiling water unnecessary; no hot fire to keep going. In water of a temperature comfortable to your hands, it washes splendidly and avoids the damage that boiling water does to clothes.

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YOU CERTAINLY CAN!

Every day we are asked this question: "Can I play Columbia records on my Victor Talking machine?"

Here is our answer: "You certainly can and without any extra attachments or trouble."

Furthermore we wish to advise you that you can play Columbia records on the Brunswick or the Richell Machines just as easily as you can on the Columbia machine.

Have you heard the January releases. There are some dandies. Drop in and have them played for you.

STEWART DRUG COMPANY

LOCK HAVEN FLOOD BROUGHT VALUABLE RED CROSS HELP

Once more the Red Cross has had an opportunity to prove the flexibility and effectiveness of its organization in times of disaster. On Thursday, February 21, at Lock Haven, a town of 8,300 population, situated on the V-shaped piece of land at the junction of the Susquehanna River and Bald Eagle Creek, an ice jam broke, and the river overflowed its banks, flooding nearly all of the town, including the whole business and manufacturing section and three-fourths of the homes, and carrying with it into the town huge blocks of ice. Although the Division office of the Red Cross was not notified until the day after the flood; within an hour's time the Division resources were mobilized and help was on its way to Lock Haven.

The following paragraphs of a letter from C. A. Johnson, chairman of the Citizens' Relief committee, to Mr. Scott, reflect Lock Haven's gratitude to the Red Cross representatives who were sent there at the time of the flood: "In justice to the Pennsylvania Division of the American Red Cross, as well as to this wonderful organization throughout the nation, I feel it my duty, as chairman of the General Relief committee of Lock Haven, which has been devastated by the worst flood in its history, and also as an American citizen deeply interested in the welfare of humanity, to express to you the keen appreciation of our citizens for the wonderful service you have rendered this community at a time when the motive for action is the common interest in humanity and our inherent willingness to succor and render aid to the afflicted and destitute."

"The evening after the flood, Mr. Maurice Willows, of the American Red Cross, in company with Miss Grace Flannery of Scranton, arrived on the scene to take charge of the Red Cross relief work. The following morning Miss Leora Stewart and Irving Hallowell of Philadelphia, arrived to take up the Red Cross work with Mr. Willows, and the assistance that these splendid people have been able to render through the agency of the Red Cross is simply inestimable, unpleasant aftermath."

FIRST AMERICAN WOUNDED IN FRANCE GETS WAR CROSS



LIEUTENANT DE VERE H. HARDEN
Lieutenant De Vere H. Harden was the first American wounded in France. His leg was torn by a piece of shrapnel when he was on training work in the trenches Oct. 28, 1917. The French government has given him the war cross and this is the first photograph of him with the decoration to reach the United States.

KEEP LOOKING YOUNG

It's Easy—If You Know Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

The secret of keeping young is to feel young—to do this you must watch your liver and bowels—there's no need of having a sallow complexion—dark rings under your eyes—pimples—a bilious look in your face—dull eyes with no sparkle. Your doctor will tell you ninety per cent of all sickness comes from inactive bowels and liver.

Dr. Edwards, a well-known physician in Ohio, perfected a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil to act on the liver and bowels, which he gave to his patients for years.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, are gentle in their action yet always effective. They bring about that exuberance of spirit, that natural buoyancy which should be enjoyed by everyone, by toning up the liver and clearing the system of impurities.

You will know Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets by their olive color. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

RECEPTION FOR MRS. YOST

The C. I. C. Sunday school class of the West Side M. E. church gave a reception last evening in honor of their teacher Mrs. Charles Yost who expects to leave shortly for Baltimore where she will remain for some time so as to be near her husband who is stationed at Camp Meade.

The affair was given in the basement of the church was beautifully decorated with red, white and blue bunting and American flags. The Sunday school orchestra furnished splendid music and Mrs. Roy Fulton recited several excellent selections. Officers for the ensuing year were then elected.

President, Luther Krebs.
Vice President, Glen Wilson.
Treasurer, Charles Harry.
Secretary, Herbert Jury.

At eleven o'clock the Ladies Aid Society of the church furnished a most delicious supper.

The reception was beautifully carried out and it is with much regret that the boys give up their teacher who has taught them so faithfully for the past number of years.

In parts of the Tyrol the bride's mother gives her daughter what is known as the "tearkerchief" woven in fine linen, with which she is supposed to dry her eyes at the ceremony. Afterwards she puts this away, and it is not used again until it is laid over her face when she is dead.

Samuel Crompton, the inventor of the spinning-mule, found his incentive in laziness. His mother insisted in a daily task of well-spun wool. The lad detested the slow, monotonous work, and invented the spinning-mule so that he might have more time for play.

Arizona has a woman livestock inspector in the person of Mrs. Okla Noonan.

HORSES FOR SALE

AT F. B. WILSON'S BARN

9 Head of horses ranging from 12 to 15 hundred. Some cheap ones and one mated team, blacks, 4 years old. Expect to be there Thursday, March 20.

G. W. SOWERS
Clearfield, Pa.

COURT NOTES

ANOTHER HORSE DEAL BALKED

Miller & Hartwick filed in the Prothonotary's office yesterday morning notice of appeal on behalf of John D. Carson & Co., from a judgment for \$150 received by Guisappa Spolita on the docket of "Squire D. D. Neff of DuBois."

According to the papers filed "Squire Neff gave judgment against Carson & Co. in favor of Spolita who was represented by Pentz & Pentz, in a suit to recover \$100 in cash paid and a \$50 horse turned over in horse deal or trade."

As some time happens in horse trades Spolita thought the other fellows trammed him, hence his attempt to recover his money and horse.

Dr. L. C. Harmon, of Philipsburg, was made defendant in a suit for \$5,000 damages brought by Miss Mary Haulton, a Chester Hill seamstress, in the Clearfield county courts yesterday. The notice of suit was filed by Liveright & Kiebs representing Miss Haulton.

The action is brought for personal injuries caused when the plaintiff was struck by an automobile driven by the defendant.

The accident occurred Sept. 22, 1917. On that date Miss Haulton, who lives beyond Chester Hill on the road to Osceola, walked out to the road to secure a package which the driver of the Emerick jitney bus which plies between Osceola and Philipsburg had been commissioned to purchase for her in the latter place.

She had received her package and started toward her home. Just as she stepped from behind the jitney into the road Dr. Harmon came up in his automobile, which the plaintiff's statement alleges was being driven rapidly and that no warning signal was given as the machine dashed past the bus. In consequence the plaintiff was struck and knocked down, having a foot badly hurt, her right hand maimed, entire right side bruised, and top of her head injured.

As a result of her injuries she was confined to her bed for one week and was unable to follow her avocation as a seamstress for a period of nine weeks. She says she is 35 years of age and earned \$20 per week; and for this loss, together with a \$20 outlay for medical treatment, and the pain and suffering incident to the injury, she asks compensation to the amount of \$5,000.

M. Ward Fleming, of Philipsburg, and Miller & Hartwick, of Clearfield, accepted service for Dr. Harmon.

Women are to be employed as forest patrol in the Northwest

CHARTER NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor or of the State of Pennsylvania, on Monday April 8th, 1918 by John G. Allsop, Walter Lobb and George C. Gould under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of certain corporations" approved April 29th 1874, and the supplements thereto for the charter of an intended corporation to be called THE LOYAL COAL COMPANY, the character and object of which is to mine, ship, buy, sell, and vend coal, purchase lease and otherwise acquire coal lands or other real estate necessary or incident to the said coal trade or business, and for these purposes to have and possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

M. WARD FLEMING,
Philipsburg, Pa. Solicitor
M12-20-27

Women clergymen in the United States total over 700.

Everyone Should Drink Hot Water in the Morning

Wash away all the stomach, liver, and bowel poisons before breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day out, to feel clean inside; no sour bill, to coat your tongue and sicken your breath or dull your head, no constipation, bilious attacks, sick headache, colds, rheumatism or gassy, acid stomach, you must bathe on the inside like you bathe outside. This is vastly more important, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood while the bowel pores do, says a well known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins well flushed from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, drink before breakfast each day, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from your pharmacist. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless except a soursome twinge which is not unpleasant. Drink phosphated hot water every morning to rid your system of these bilious poisons and toxins, also to prevent their formation.

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became saturated with an accumulation of body poisons, begin the treatment and above all, keep it up. As soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and purifying, so limestone phosphate and hot water before breakfast act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

WB CORSETS

W. B. Reduso Corsets

effect an astonishing reduction in stout figures. Back and front lace. Hips, bust and abdomen reduced 1 to 5 inches, you look 10 to 20 pounds lighter. You are no longer STOUT, you never wore more comfortable or "easy feeling" corsets.

No. 721. Low Bust, Coutil.	price	\$4.00
No. 703. Medium Bust, Coutil.	price	\$4.00
No. 711. Short Stout Figures.	price	\$4.00
Low Bust, Coutil.	price	\$4.00

Without Elastic Gores (No. 721. Med. Bust) \$3

W. B. Nuform Corsets

Back and Front-Lace for slender and average figures give the "new-form" the figure of the moment. Inexpensive, faultlessly fitting. Unequaled for Comfort, Wear and shape-moulding. \$1.00 to \$3.50

All Dealers WEINGARTEN BROS., Inc., NEW YORK Chicago

SPORT CHATTER

Lawton Witt, the brilliant young shortstop of the Athletics, is now in the Naval Reserve.

Fred Fulton is now cleaning up the heavyweights like Ty Cobb cleans up the busses. A short time back the Minnesota Giant seemed to be "jinked" with bouts that ended with a foul blow or had other endings equally unsatisfactory.

Catcher Jimmy Archer, formerly of the Cubs and now signed as backstop for the Pirates, will find an old teammate, Fred Hollwitz, on the Dreyfus payroll.

W. C. T. U. MEETING

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in the Y. M. C. A.

At 7:30 Thursday Evening All members requested to be present

"Big Jack" Powell, well known major league pitcher a few years ago, is at the Browns' training camp at Shreveport trying to come back as a twirler.

In pastime with the Cincinnati Reds this season Lee Magee will be one of the very few big leaguers playing in their own home town.

Big Eaters Get Kidney Trouble

Take Salts at first sign of Bladder irritation or Backache

From your pharmacist, about 1 ounce of Epsom Salts, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water, before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act free. These Epsom salts are made from the acidulous salts of the sea, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys, to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

These Epsom salts cannot in any way make a delightful beverage, and being in every home because nobody can make a mistake by having a good Epsom salt when the weather is bad, or during any time.

There Are Twenty Coffees and Blends at The Workman's Stores

EACH WITH ITS OWN CHARACTERISTICS

Given a certain number of "straight" coffees, the skillful blender can make a number of blends, each of which contributes certain cup qualities of the combined coffees as to meet the particular taste of the user. And it is to acceptably meet different tastes that the Pure Food Stores offer Twenty "Straight" coffees and blends. Here are a few of them:

40c Tartan Steel Cut Coffee at	31c
40c Hotel Astor Blend, steel cut; and chaff removed, at	32c
25c Popular Blend ground to suit your taste at	21c
35c Progress Blend, every pound sold with the Workman guarantee, at	29c
No. 88 Rio Coffee at	15c
Austin Nichols, high grade Breakfast Cocoa in bulk, ground from selected cocoa beans, per lb.	22c
Sugar, pulverized, granulated or brown, per pound	9c
Sardines in oil, Maine style worth 8c per can, special at 5 cans for	30c
We carry a full line of fresh fruit and vegetables at all times, also butter, eggs and cheese.	

Try Our Butterine

O. K. brand, per pound	35c
Highland brand, per pound	32c
Arco, nut butterine, per pound	35c

Workman's Cash Stores

Three Stores
Daisy St. West Side Third St.

Plow Repairs

Frost is out of the ground. You're going to do your utmost this year both in acreage and in making two spears of grain grow where one grew before.

Get your plows repaired for the spring drive. We have a very complete assortment of plow shares, breakers, moldboards, handles, chains and the like.

Do it NOW!

WILLIAM F. POWELL

SECOND STREET CLEARFIELD, PA.

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Pure Chewing Gum

a Stick a day keeps "Bad Habits" away

BLACK JACK

VOTE FOR---

JOHN RICHELSEN

FOR CONGRESS

CLEARFIELD

CENTRE

CAMERON

McKEAN

Clearfield, Pa., March 20, 1918.
The Clearfield Progress:

Please announce that I am a candidate for congress from the 21st district, subject to the decision of the Republican primaries on May 21st, 1918.

The present hour of our national life is one which may well inspire any patriot to participation in public affairs. Momentous questions of war and of peace are now under discussion and will continue to present delicate and complex problems for solution.

The constituency of the 21st congressional district, which embraces the counties of Cameron, Centre, Clearfield and McKean, will designate by popular vote its choice for the important seat in congress. We will cheerfully submit to the will of the majority.

In presenting my candidacy at this time, I declare my unqualified endorsement and assent to five fundamental matters:

1. Vigorous prosecution of the war to a successful climax.
2. The full weight of American influence for future protection against war, for international arbitration and for world-wide comity of nations.
3. Protection of American industry, with justice to both capital and labor, during the war and thereafter, along the line of policies which constitutes the platform of the Republican party.
4. The prohibition amendment to the constitution.
5. The woman suffrage amendment.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN RICHELSEN.

PRIMARIES MAY 21, 1918

Political Adv.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE

No. 116 December Term 1917
Divorce

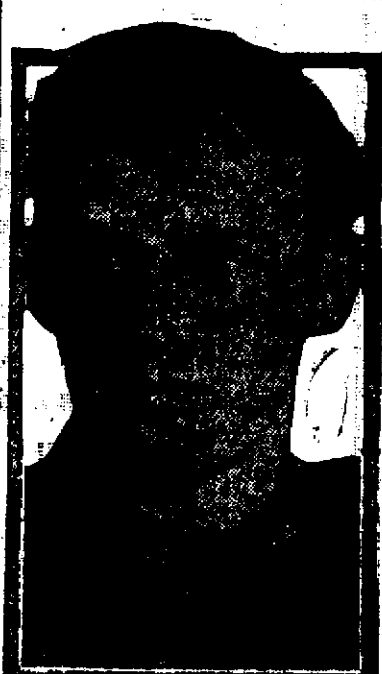
Joseph Mecca vs. Esther Mecca
To Esther Mecca:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned Commissioner appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Clearfield County to take the testimony in the above case and report the same to said court with proper form of decree hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the old Masonic building in the First ward or the Borough of Clearfield Pa., on Saturday March 30th at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at which time and place you can if you see fit be present with your witness.

W. A. HAGERTY
Commissioner

M13-20-27

If you don't read every page of
The Progress you are bound to miss
something interesting.

SAYS GERMANS TIED HIM TO
A POLE AS A WAR PRISONER

W. J. PRENDERGAST

W. J. Prendergast, whose mother lives in Chicago, has just got out of Germany after long being a prisoner there, with the statement that he was tied to a pole in a public place by army officials and forced to remain standing forty-eight hours at a time. He said the food was placed in front of the prisoners and they remained in the cold and rain with no protection while gaping crowds looked on.

EXPRESS AGENTS

TRANSFERRED

H. F. Reese, who has been the agent for the Adams Express company at Philipsburg, has been transferred to the Clearfield office, and J. C. Oswalt, a Philipsburg boy becomes his successor. The change, which became effective yesterday morning, is a promotion for both Messrs. Reese and Oswalt. They are both fine fellows, and many friends will be glad to know of their progress.

Every Swiss adult is liable to military service. In the event of a man being physically unfit to serve with the colors he is compelled to pay a small sum annually to exempt him from service, but in time of war he may be called upon to serve in such capacities as he may be able to fill.

These former Yankees, Jimmy Austin, Joe Gedeon and Fritz Maisel, are trying out for infield positions with the St. Louis Browns.

WHAT KIND OF A FIGHTER ARE YOU?

By Caroline Ticknor
Of The Vigilants

This war divides Americans into two classes; those that are fighting and those that are being fought for.

If we are numbered with the fighters, we have relinquished everything to serve our country and its magnificent ideal. We are prepared to lay down life, and all that we hold dear, in order that this land may remain "safe for democracy"; an honorable abode for future generations.

If we are in the second class, these fighters are fighting for us, and the one question we have to answer (every one of us, man, woman, and child), is this: "Are we worth fighting for?"

Upon our answer to that question depends our own salvation, that of this nation, and of the great cause of humanity.

Are we worth fighting for? Not if we are skulking behind our soldiers, hiding behind them, or even standing inertly behind them. We must be found fighting behind them; fighting with body, mind and soul. If we are not prepared to do this we to democracy, woe to the land of Washington and Lincoln, woe to the coming generations!

Fighting with body, that means physical work, physical sacrifice; devotion to the performance of some constructive task; consistency in giving up unnecessary indulgence, and let luxury. We must give of our abundance, give of our scanty store, give of our time and money. Let us examine our physical qualifications for the fight which is before us. What can we do most skillfully, acceptably, efficiently? Let us find out as speedily as possible, and set to work for today, time is more than "money," time is "life" we dare not waste it. Remember we are fighting not hiding. Weary? Yes, so are they. Distasteful? They find it so. Hard? Life is more than hard out in the trenches. Fighting with mind, another task before us, a duty and a privilege. Intelligence; yet every bit of it is needed to reinforce those that have little of this quality. Use it unstintingly to further every national measure; economy of food; production of supplies; saving of fuel. We must fight with our heads, for lo, the enemy within our gates has taxed his cunning to do his utmost to circumvent us. We must keep every faculty of mind alert to offset his insidious propaganda and frustrate his stealthy encroachments.

Fighting with all our soul. That means belief, courage and steadfast faith in the great victory for righteousness that is to be. Work cheerfully, talk confidently, write hopefully. Not pacifism but Peace is coming, if only we fight hard enough behind our fighters.

"Freedom is only a land of dreams" cried Schiller, standing upon German soil. Let us shout to the hills: "Freedom is every nation's birthright, and our own brave men, shoulder to shoulder with our free nations of the earth, are fighting for that freedom." Fighting, inspired by the spirit of 1820, breathing the spirit of 1776 and 1861; and we, fighting behind our fighters, with body, mind and soul must prove ourselves, like our great cause, worth fighting for.

The Progress is described by its readers as the paper that changes its dress every day.

THOMPSON GRAHAM RESIDENCE
DAMAGED BY FIRE

The residence of Thompson Graham on Park avenue was badly damaged by a fire which broke out about 3:15 this morning. When the alarm was given the flames were bursting from the roof in every direction with the result that the upper part of the building was destroyed by fire while the ceilings and walls of the lower floors were badly damaged by water.

The fire is supposed to have started from the flue from the kitchen although there had been no fire in the range since supper time last evening. About all the furniture was saved.

The Elk Hose company with their motor truck were first on the scene and with a line from No. 1 soon controlled the flames.

The loss will amount to a couple of thousand dollars and is a severe blow to Mr. and Mrs. Graham.

A training course for women dental hygienists has been provided at the Harvard dental school.

USE DANCE HALL FOR
WAR RISK BUREAU WORK

(By United Press)
Washington, March 20.—From a large dance hall in the national Capitol, Uncle Sam, the proud father of the War Risk Insurance, daily sends forth 40,000 checks to relatives of insured soldiers and sailors.

Pressed for office space, the War Risk Insurance Bureau, with an army of 600 check-writing clerks recently marched upon the spacious Center Market Dance hall, and began the task of writing out nearly a million dollars in allowances and allotments to the relatives of Uncle Sam's fighting men.

D. A. R. MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the D. A. R. was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. P. Dowler on West Market street. There was a large attendance and the meeting was most interesting.

Progress Want Ads pay.

Miller's Antiseptic Oil, Known as

Snake Oil

Accomplishing most wonderful results

I want to thank you for your wonderful oil, states Mr. J. C. Gibson, of Jonesboro, Ark. My little girl was very low with diphtheria; I had given her two doses of medicine which cost me \$20 with no results. I bought a 25c bottle of your oil and one application relieved her. Now she is well. It is the greatest remedy I ever saw. Mr. Gibson made this statement before hundreds of people. Mrs. Florence Meager, 284 Whitney St., Hartford, Conn., writes: "I have used your Antiseptic Oil for neuralgia with good effects. Only thing I have ever tried that stopped the pain immediately." Mrs. Williams, Gadsden, Ala., writes: "I have used your great pain oil for rheumatism, stiff joints, also for sore throat, and I want to say that it is the greatest remedy I ever tried. I recommend it to all sufferers. Many cures reported daily from thousands of grateful users of this wonderful oil. Every bottle guaranteed 25c, 50c and \$1.00 or money refunded. At Dooley's Drug store."

Have you Read the "Wants?"



Louis Dammers

Eyesight Specialist

ONE DAY ONLY

CLEARFIELD

DINELING HOTEL PARLORS

Friday, March 22, 1918

Office Hours—9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

I offer you a fine pair of glasses, including Dammers' eye examination, clear crystal lenses gold filled frame and elegant case as low as

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Special Ground Lenses At Lowest Prices

Two pair in one. No lines. No cement. Last for years.

Eye examination by the Dammers Scientific Method, without asking questions, without drops, test cards or charts, absolutely free of charge. Don't fail to take advantage of this remarkable offer.

105 CHESTNUT STREET

Philadelphia

Monthly Visits to Clearfield

Willard Promises to Defend His Heavyweight Title July 4



Jess Willard, the heavyweight champion, has at last consented to enter the ring to defend his title. More than three years after he won the championship from Jack Johnson it will be placed in jeopardy. For he has signed a preliminary agreement to meet Fred Fulton July 4, at a place to be later selected. The promoter is C. J. Miller, who once owned the now known as 101 Ranch. Fulton is to receive \$20,000 and make a side bet of \$5,000. The remuneration for Willard is not stated. The picture of Willard here shown is the latest taken of him. He was photographed at any army camp where he went to instruct the soldiers.



Classified Ads For Everybody

HELP WANTED

WANTED—To get in touch with men who can ship pit posts, cross ties, and other mine timber. Highland Pst. and Lumber Company, 733 1st National Bank Bldg., Uniontown, Pa. M11-15t-pd

WANTED—A girl for general housework. No washing. Call H. & C. 178x3 M15-4t

WANTED—By an experienced man with small family, a farm or truck patch with buildings on. Will farm on shares or rent. Call or write at once. In care of Progress. M18-3tp

WANTED—Washwoman who will call for clothes and deliver them when washed. Call The Progress. M20-3tc

WANTED—A girl for general housework...Apply Mrs. W. H. Patterson 202 Front street. M20-1w

WANTED

CASH FOR OLD TEETH
Don't matter if broken. I pay \$2 to \$15.00 per set, also cash for old gold, silver, platinum, dental gold and old gold jewelry. Will send cash by return mail and will hold goods 10 days for sender's approval of my price. Mail to L. Mazer 2007 S. 5th street, Philadelphia, Pa. M6-imp

WANTED TO RENT—Six or seven room house, with modern convenience by permanent tenant. Address A. B. C., care Progress. M20-3tc

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching from Royal white Wyndottes. Winners at four leading shows. Excellent winter layers. C. C. Holt, Winburne. M11-1mch

FOR SALE—Six cylinder car, fine condition. Would make good truck. Fred G. Betts. M11-tf-ch

FOR SALE—A team, five years old and well matched. Inquire of John Croover, Grampian. M18-6tp

FOR SALE—A 5 year old house. Address Po. Box 276, Clearfield, Pa. M19-3tp

FOR SALE—One 1916 motorcycle, 1917 side car, at a bargain. Call on phone 281x2, 1330 Daisy street. M19-6t.

FARM FOR SALE
100 acre farm in good state of cultivation located three miles from Clearfield. Partly underlaid with coal. Good buildings. Excellent spring water. Telephone and rural mail service. Price and terms reasonable. Inquire of T. N. Fulton on the premises or R. I. Fulton at the County National Bank. M19-tf-ch

FOR SALE—Barred rock and single comb white leghorn eggs for hatching. Book your orders early from my blue ribbon stock.

ALSO
Two Prairie State incubators at reasonable prices.
FRANK G. HARRIS,
West Fourth St., Clearfield, Pa. M19-3tp

FOR SALE—1915 Ford. Call H. & C. phone 313x2. In good condition. M20-2t-pd.

English girls are taking up wireless telegraphy.

"Spike" Shannon, who used to pass time with the New York Giants, has been appointed an umpire in the Western league.

All that the University of Pennsylvania basketball team had to do to land the championship was to win whenever Dartmouth lost. And the Green five lost them as fast as they played 'em.

WANTED!

Several families with girls. We have new and up to date houses to rent. Apply personally at the Clearfield Textile Co., West Side.

L COMPANY HAD A MUSICAL TREAT BEFORE GOING INTO LINE

By J. W. Pegler
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

With The American Expeditionary Army, France, Feb. 9. (By Mail.)—The fellows in "L" Company had a "musical evening" back in the rest camp on the night before they went back into the trenches.

The big Swedish supply sergeant played everything he knew on his trench-made fiddle. A young boy from Milwaukee, with a German-sounding name, whose Daddy can't speak English without a Weber and Felds accent, gave the "Star Spangled Banner" on a mouth-organ. Slim, the cook, sang "Poor Boy" which has seventy-five verses, while all the rest of the fellows sang in a harmonious undertone of minors, "pinkie-pinkie-planky-plunk" in imitation of banjos.

Willie, the sixteen-year-old corporal, sang "Cuccaracha," the rollicking Villista song which the boys learned on the border. And Johnson, the captain's "dog-robbor" contributed two wailing Gaelic melodies with some steps that jarred half the candles down off the shelf.

The camp is not far from the front. At one moment when the Captain was "ordering" Johnson to do the dance for the boys there fell a lull in the entertainment and you could plainly hear some machine-gun down in the trenches probably spraying at a Boche working party or patrol.

The Captain was an officer in the Texas Field Artillery—in a regiment ruled by his Dad, an old-time colonel of militia. He says the fellows in "L" Company are the gamest, least complaining crowd of hard-working fighters in the Army.

"L" Company is kind of a big family and the 22-year-old lad from Dal, las rules his crowd with diplomacy, good-fellowship and kineness—recognizing human frailties and making allowances for them.

The fellows in the hut would have felt pretty much hurt if he hadn't come to tonight's "musical evening." They feel that he is their patron and they come to him with their little troubles and some big ones just as a high-school boy back home would go to his Dad and make a clean breast of it when he gets in Dutch with the Prof.

Little Mike Francis from the hills of North Carolina told how he dodged the Revenuers when he was distilling illicit corn-juice on the acres "willed" to him by his old Dad. Mike is the "pigeon" specialist of the company. He claims to have invented a gas-mask which will protect the faithful winged-messengers from the enemy's poison fumes.

A sergeant from Anadarka, Oklahoma the Y. M. C. A.'s first prize just before the Regiment went into the trenches in a contest to advertise the atrocities of the Boche and park up the Regiment's fighting spirit. The attempt that copped the five bucks, follows:

By the rifle on my back
By my old and well-worn pack
By the bayonets we sharpened in the billets down below
When we're holding to a sector
By the Holy Jumping Hector
Colonel, we'll be gott-straffed if the Blankteeth let it go.

And the Boches big and small
Runty ones and Boches tall
Won't keep your boys a-squating in the ditches very long
For we'll soon be busting thru, sir,

God help Fritzie when we do sir
Let's be going, Colonel Blank, because we're feeling mighty strong
The Sergeant recited his poem and brought down the house.

There was a vigorous knocking on the door.
The captain went to answer the summons and stepped outside to talk with a second lieutenant of an engineer company stationed near the front to build a light railway.

"Captain don't you think your men

ought to be made to consider someone else?" the second lieutenant demanded in an irritated tone. "I've been working since five a. m. and so have my men. We are tired. This noise is disturbing us and it's now 8:30. My men have got to get sleep and so have I."

Always a diplomat the captain apologized.
"We'll have just one more song," he bargained, "and then we'll quit."
They whooped it up:
"The Infantry, the Infantry—ee,
With the dirt behind their ears,
The Infantry, the Infantry,
They can't get any beers,
The Cavalry—the artiller—ee
And the LOWSY engineers,
Well they couldn't tilt heckdy fl.
Well they (ukndt) lick the in-fan-tree
In a hundred thousand years."

FORMER MORRISDALE RESIDENT'S DEATH

George W. Ball, a former well known and highly esteemed resident of Morrisdale, died on Sunday night at 11:40 o'clock at his home in Patton. His death was due to an attack of heart trouble.

The deceased, aged 61 years, was a native of Adams county. His father, Patrick Ball, was a civil war veteran and met his death while in active service in defense of the Union.

Mr. Ball who left Morrisdale, for Patton about three years ago was long identified with the mining interests of the former place. Many friends will be pained to learn of his death.

Besides his wife, who was formerly Miss Matilda Wise, of Allport, deceased is survived by two daughters and one son, Mrs. F. F. Fuller, Mrs. William Mears and Lisle Ball, all of Patton. He is also survived by his age mother, Mrs. Rachel Ball, of Hawk Run; one brother, John Ball, of Morrisdale, and two sisters, Mrs. Mary McElwain, of Hawk Run, with whom the mother makes her home, and Mrs. Margaret Conrad of Nanty-Glo.

The body will be shipped to Morrisdale on Wednesday evening and the funeral take place on Thursday afternoon from the home of John Ball.

ROCKTON RESIDENT DEAD

Charlotte Clouser, aged 81, one of the best known residents of Rockton, passed away at the home of her son J. S. Clouser, at Rockton, at 3 o'clock yesterday morning, old age being the cause of death. She is survived by her son, J. S. Clouser, of Rockton, also the following daughters, Mrs. Alice Jordan, of Maryland; Clara Schultzberger, of Rockton; Ada Bush of DuBois, and Effie Rowles, of Clearfield.

The deceased had lived at Rockton for 60 years and was a member of the Lutheran church. Funeral services will be held in the Menonite church at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. Selner and interment will be made at Rockton.

STOPS BACKACHE IN FEW MINUTES

Rub lumbago, pain, soreness, stiffness right out with "St. Jacob's Liniment"

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or neuritis has you stiffened up don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacob's Liniment" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right into the pain or ache, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone. This soothing penetrating liniment takes the ache and pain right out and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn or discolor the skin.

Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica and lime back misery so promptly and surely. It never disappoints!

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS CURWENSVILLE

Mrs. W. R. Condo of Philipsburg, visited Mrs. H. L. Burkett over Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Bloomer, of East Stroudsburg, Monroe county, is visiting relatives in town for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knepp spent Sunday with friend at Woodland.

Mrs. B. J. Crisman visited her mother, Mrs. Helper near Grampian the week end.

The funeral of Samuel Bright, son of Mrs. Lola Bright, formerly of Curwensville, who died at his home near DuBois Monday, will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Gospel meetings at the Baptist church continues every evening with increasing interest. Rev. George W. Hatch is preaching a series of very helpful sermons on the Beautitudes. Bring and use your Famous Hymns song book. Come thou with us and we will do thee good.

Mrs. Sue Owens is visiting for a few days at the home of C. F. Hayes of Bridgeport.

Mrs. Thomas Martin returned home yesterday afternoon from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Solley at Greenville.

James Milliron has purchased a house and lot from Percy Smith on South Side.

A large dog foaming at the mouth and probably mad was at large on Ridge avenue Monday and after considerable difficulty was finally killed.

Miss Pauline Roff, teacher of the 2d grade, South Side school, went to the Clearfield hospital for treatment Monday. Miss Louise Karstetter is filling the vacancy until Miss Roff is able to resume her duties as teacher.

John I. Thompson was called to Clearfield yesterday on account of the death of his nephew, Harold Wilson, who died of pneumonia at Allentown about one o'clock yesterday.

A little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Connors near town died of diphtheria yesterday about 12 o'clock.

The St. Patrick's dance at the Moose hall Monday evening was well attended.

A little son of Mr. and Mrs. Blair Porter has been on the sick list for several days threatened with pneumonia.

OSCEOLA MILLS

There were 233 votes for and 24 against the proposition authorizing the Council to purchase a LaFrance fire engine and other additional fire equipment. The small opposition came from a few voters who are not owners of property hence do not have as much at stake as those who have their money invested.

Earl Hobbs who is in a training camp near New York was home for a brief furlough over Sunday. His many friends here will be pleased to know that he has fully recovered from his recent illness which sent him to the camp hospital for a short time.

Arnold Aillard, a student at State College, came home to spend Sunday

"Habgood & Harmony" WILL SWEEP THE STATE IN THE REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES MAY 21 FOR GOVERNOR

The Republicans of Pennsylvania will stand by Republican National Chairman Hays, who says:

1. "Factionalism is the most destructive force in our party."
2. "The purpose of the National Committee and similar committees, is to elect, and not select candidates."

The factional fights of Philadelphia and Harrisburg shall not be dragged into every voting precinct in the State, for the rank and file, including the vast body of dependent Republicans, will vote against both factions.

Habgood is not and will not be the candidate of any faction, clique or leader. He has always been loyal to the party's candidates, regardless of factions, and he welcomes the support of all Republicans from the most modest to the most powerful.

**FACTIONALISM
MEANS DEFEAT
REPUBLICANISM
OVER ALL
MEANS VICTORY**

Habgood favors the National amendment for Prohibition, the Woman's Suffrage, consistent with his open and constant approval for the past twelve years of a nation-wide basis of supporting in his home for the Legislature, only candidates who will vote to date them.

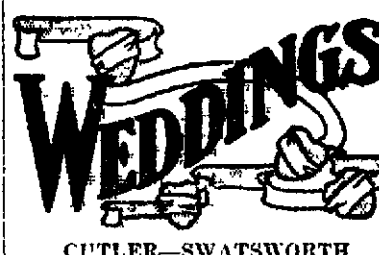
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Slip covers and your upholstery now. I will call and estimate without obligation to you. No charge until goods are delivered. M18-1w

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CUTLER-SWATSWORTH

Miss Ella Cutler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Cutler of West Front street and Mr. Reece Swatsworth, of Glen Richey, were united in marriage yesterday at the West Side M. E. parsonage by the pastor Rev. Rush.

Miss Hannah Schnedden and Fred Cutler, brother of the bride, were the only attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Swatsworth will reside in Clearfield and their many friends here extend best wishes and congratulations for a prosperous and happy married life.

WANT SCRAPS OF YARN

The Junior Red Cross of the Third Ward schools hereby solicits yarns and yarn scraps for use in knitting six inch squares to be used in comforts for the soldiers. All colors, all weights and any quantity will be gratefully received. Send to Third ward school building or notify pupils and they will call for any donations you may have.

SEED CORN FOR SALE

I have 50 bushels of home grown Golden Dent seed corn which I will dispose of to those desiring same. Call or address A. B. Owens Curwensville, Pa. M19-2tr

Jack Dempsey and Gunboat Smith are to meet in Atlanta this month. Taking a beating is evidently getting to be a habit with the gunner.

BELLEFONTE TO RAISE HOGS

Bellefonte, Pa., March 19.—In order to encourage the public to heed Herbert Hoover's to grow more hogs the Bellefonte Council has abrogated for the period of the war the ordinance prohibiting the housing of hogs within the borough limits; the only proviso being that the pigsty shall be kept sanitary.

USE NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING

Altoona, March 19.—The Win-a-Fellow class of the First Methodist church is going in extensively for

newspaper advertising in order to increase its membership. A has been appropriated to finance the publicity drive.

If you've lost something insert it in the Classified section.

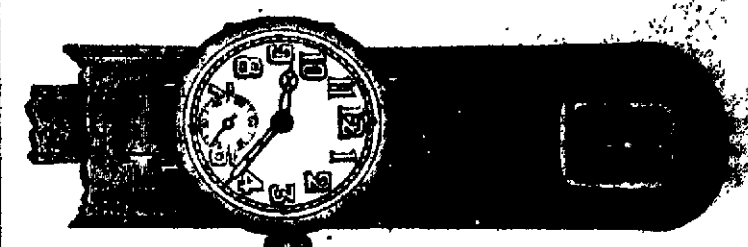
Buck Herzog, Ed Konetchy, Dick Rudolph refuse to sign with Boston Braves for the salary offered.

The Woman's Democratic Club of New York City is to hold a Jefferson Day dinner.

If you think The Progress is a good paper tell your neighbor.

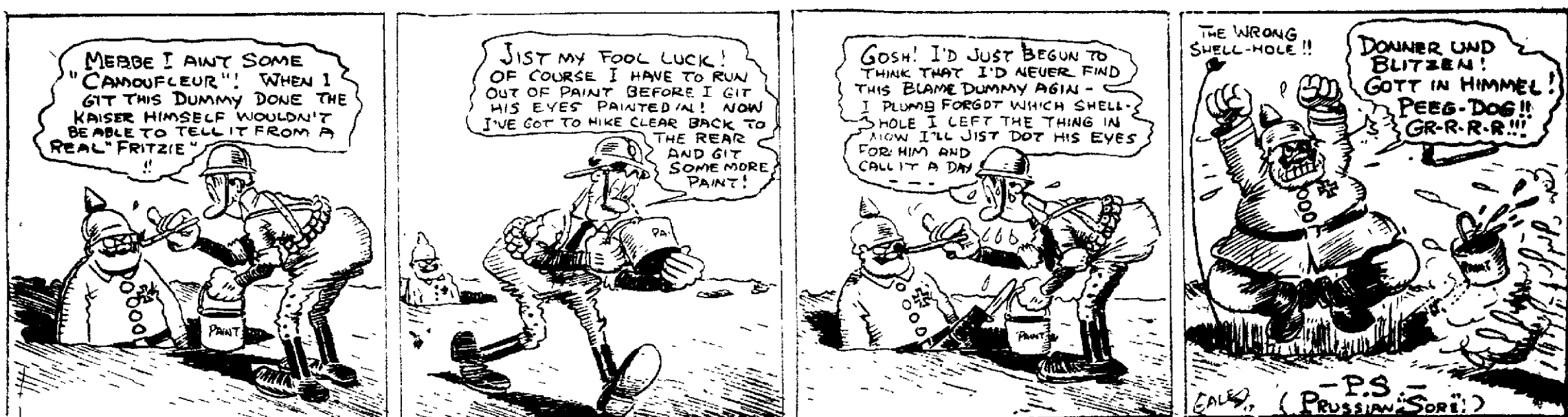
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Grand Veillers phenomenal stage

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Featuring Alice Joyce and Harry

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Special Vitagraph Comedy

10 Reels in All 10

Prices: Afternoon 10 and 20c

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Music by the Famous Wurlitzer

Orchestra

Shows start 1, 2:30, 4, 6:30, 8, 9:30

Admission 10 and 15c

DETECTIVE MINSER
OF INDIANA DIES
FROM INJURIES

Just a little over two weeks from the day on which he was brutally assaulted while in the performance of his duties at Lucernemine, County Detective Samuel L. Minser, of Indiana, died at the Indiana hospital Tuesday morning at 1 o'clock. Death was due to Bright's disease, but hastened by the injuries which he received in the mining town.

No arrangements had been made for the funeral when this account was written.

He was a public school teacher in the county for four years. In 1903 he went to Arcadia where he resided until a few years ago, when he returned to Indiana. While in Arcadia he engaged in the mercantile business and in 1906 he was appointed postmaster, which position he held with great credit. At different times he held the offices of school director and auditor of Montgomery township. A well-known resident, a prominent citizen, he held the esteem of all.

On May 17, 1917, Mr. Minser was named as Detective for Indiana county, which position he held in a trustworthy manner, being responsible for the bringing to justice of many evildoers of the law. On the evening of March 2, he went to Lucernemine to secure evidence that would tend to the arrest of violators of the liquor laws. Trouble arose in one of the houses and Mr. Minser was rendered unconscious. He was found lying in a pool near the power house early the following Sabbath morning in a semi-conscious condition and suffering at that time from wounds about the head and face. He was brought to the Indiana hospital, but from the first his recovery was a matter of doubt. He had been afflicted with Bright's disease and the injuries he received aggravated his condition, already serious in itself.

On November 2, 1898, Mr. Minser married Martha Gilpatrick, daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Owens) Gilpatrick. He leaves a widow and seven children.

To Strasburg belongs the doubtful honor of having scored the world's highest price record for food since the war began. In Strasburg market recently a large goose was sold for \$70.

SCOUT FINDS CHILD'S SKELETON

Robert Perreault, aged twelve years, of Strasburg, Mass., found the skeleton of a child. He and several other youngsters were "sketching" in the woods when under a clump of leaves he saw a piece of bone. He went to the spot and found the skeleton. He was told to keep it secret, but he told his friends. The boy notified the authorities. It is supposed the child was lost in the woods long ago.

Parker Pens Are
Used Round
The World

Every nation, in every clime, is getting better and better acquainted with the little "Lucky Parker" as the boys carry them in camp, overseas and trench. The reason is plain. They won't leak! Carry them any way you will—wring and up, and they will not leak. They are not looking out to smudge your fingers.

May we say YOU?

STEWART'S DRUG STORE

Temperance Notes

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

EVERY MAN AT HIS BEST!

Men and women as citizens are the product of four environments: The physical, the moral, the industrial and the political.

A physical incompetent by superior qualities of the unconquerable soul may lift himself out of the chains of disease and pain and make his fellows his debtors, but no man will deny me when I say that that which makes for physical incompetency is an enemy of the state.

A moral incompetent cannot be a good citizen.

An industrial incompetent cannot be a good citizen.

A political incompetent cannot be a good citizen.

I submit to you that the liquor institution is the supreme tangible foe of the state, because it is the supreme positive promoter of physical, moral, industrial and political incompetency.

Millions of citizens, men and women, immediately vital to the national and world program of this republic, cannot be at their best until the liquor institution is destroyed. Other and unborn millions are physically, morally, industrially and politically predated by the eugenic taint of alcohol. And America needs every man at his best!—Daniel A. Polling.

BAD FOR THE WASHERWOMAN.

So acute has become the local shortage in washerwomen that it amounts to a "famine," says Robert Patton in the American Issue. It was not always so. In the halcyon days when Denver had saloons and the pay envelopes were being cashed in the third parties, thousands of the wives of drinking men were compelled to take in washing to eke out a slender living for the little family. This condition suited the booze interests to a T. One of the wet newspapers in an exuberant outburst of philanthropy urged the saloonkeepers to send their "family wash to the wives of their patrons" and let the saloonists rake in the pay checks.

But all this is but a dream since this city went dry. Daddy is now spending his money for household supplies and wife has ceased to take in washing—hence the "famine." Verily prohibition has "hurt" the washerwoman as well as that of the undertaker and grave digger.

GERMANY UNDER PROHIBITION.

The German army was practically mobilized under prohibition, Miss Margaret Winterer tells in the Union Signal. Germany actually clambered over the wheels of the water wagon, she says, by reviving the law of the state of siege enacted in 1851. "For an unheard of six weeks even beer was under taboo in all German villages. And to these six weeks Germany owes her initial success in the war. But were firmly seated she fell off the water wagon. In October the law of the State of Siege was lifted and there followed the wretched village orgies, and the atrocities in Belgium which have forever blackened Germany's escutcheon."

LUMBERJACKS OPPOSE SALOONS.

A good argument for prohibition is furnished by the action of Washington lumberjacks. About fifty of these men had been fighting fires in Idaho and Washington (both dry states) and refused to go into Montana to perform the same service because they feared that if they exposed themselves to the temptations of a wet state, they would lose all their earnings in the saloons. So they turned down an appeal for help at good wages and remained in dry territory.

Montana's statutory prohibition law, enacted November, 1916, goes into effect December 31, 1918. After that date the state won't be shunned by lumberjacks or by anybody except bootlegs.

ALCOHOL NEUTRALIZES FOOD.

Food is not only wasted in the manufacture of alcoholic drink, but the drink itself renders nugatory the nutritive value of much food that is eaten. Put a lump of sugar into alcohol. It hardens instead of dissolving as it does when placed in water. A half pound of beefsteak, chased by a highball does not furnish more than 50 per cent as much nourishment to the body as when it is eaten alone.

PROHIBITION BEST.

Out of an experience which has touched all classes and conditions of men, I am willing to state my belief that in this present crisis the United States would be better able to meet the high duties before it if prohibition were general and absolute.—Gov. Charles C. Whitman of New York.

REFUSE TO BE LIQUOR BOOSTERS.

Inquiry in January, 1917, directed to every publication in the United States, no matter what its character or frequency of issue, revealed that 8,387, or nearly one-third of all the publications in the country, declined to serve as a medium of drink solicitation, says the Encyclopedia of Temperance and Prohibition, published by the Board of Temperance of the M. E. church. At this writing many others might be added to the honor roll.

The Junior league of Amateur Driving clubs will hold its 1918 inter-city meet at the Mineola, N. Y., track next July.

DADDY THE DAIRY

GENTLE COWS ARE SUPERIOR

Animals Seem to Partake of Disposition of Keeper—Economical Grains for Heifers.

To have gentle cows there is nothing like raising them yourself. The cow seems to partake of the disposition of her keeper. No dairyman can afford to have a man in his stable who is rough and quick tempered.

Many well-bred cows are ruined because they were not properly fed and developed into cowhoo. Ground oatmeal and wheat bran with the addition of a small amount of flaxseed meal are the most economical grains for the calf and heifer. These grains, fed in connection with mixed hay, bright corn fodder and wheat straw, will develop bone and muscle and build up a sound, vigorous constitution with a capacity to eat and digest a large quantity of food. It is a common saying "that a cow that is a big eater is also a big milker." And this is true.

A heifer should be well fed before calving and given daily exercise. Calves and heifers should not be tied up in a warm stable with the cows, they thrive best in an open shed with a sheltered yard for exercise.

TO IDENTIFY DAIRY CATTLE

Difficult to Distinguish Certain Heifers From Certain Cows Few Years After Birth.

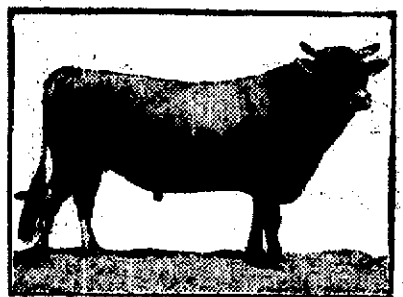
Every farmer who keeps dairy cattle should adopt some scheme for identifying his stock. It is easy to remember the cows in a herd by their names, but it is quite another thing to be able to distinguish certain heifers from certain cows, two or three years after birth. If one is in daily association with his stock, he might be able to remember that one calf is from this cow, another from that cow, and so on, but if the calves are put away on pasture, the chances are that at the end of a year their ancestry will be forgotten.

With breeders of purebreds, it is strictly essential to be able to trace the ancestry. Registration rules specify this, and when a heifer or bull calf is registered, its markings must be noted on a card provided for the purpose.

VALUE OF PREPOTENT BULLS

High-Class Animal Stands Little Chance of Transmitting Inferior Qualities of Ancestor.

The bull is half the herd. If he is prepotent, as all good bulls are, he is much more than half the herd. The purebred bull, all of whose ancestors for several generations were first-class individuals, stands very little chance of transmitting the qualities of some inferior remote ancestor. In the dairy record center at Farmers' Union, Ontario, there were 14 herds of grade cattle. Seven of these herds, comprising 82 cows, had always used grade sires. The other seven, comprising 84 cows, had used purebred sires for



Purebred Bull.

many years. At creamery prices for milk, one year's record showed a balance of \$31.51 per cow in favor of the seven herds that had used purebred sires.

WINTER EXERCISE FOR CALF

When Weather is Favorable Young Animal Should Be Turned Out in Sheltered Yard.

Each day during the winter, when the weather is favorable, the calves need to be turned out into a sheltered yard for exercise, which is necessary for their proper growth and health. It is also very important that the calves, from a very early age, be given all the pure, fresh water they care to drink each day. The pens should be disinfected frequently. Quicklime is excellent to sprinkle on the floor each time it is cleaned, and a frequent spraying with some standard "carbolic dip solution" will prove beneficial.

COW IS CREATURE OF HABIT

Heifer Should Be Milked Up to Within Two Months of Next Lactation Period.

The length of time which a cow will milk depends very largely upon the length of her first milking period. While the tendency for a long milking period is supposed to be hereditary in dairy cattle, they are also creatures of habit, and a heifer should, therefore, be milked up to within two months of her next lactation period whether or not she gives enough milk to pay for the milking.

Couple Mack has signed another promising college partner in Claude Davidson, the former Brown university infielder.

Gossip for
Tonight's
Tea Table

Lloyd Graffius has returned to Camp Sherman, Ohio, after spending his furlough with relatives and friends here. Mr. Graffius is with the ambulance unit there.

F. G. Betts transacted business in Altoona yesterday.

Max Weimer attended to business in DuBois yesterday.

Letters have been received here by friends from William Reed saying that he has entirely recovered from an operation for appendicitis which was performed in the base hospital in France. Mr. Reed had been in the hospital there for more than a month. He was among the first from here to go to France and went over with the 15th U. S. Engineers.

J. C. Ramsey of Pittsburgh was in Clearfield on business today.

Miss Mary Cadman, clerk in the coat and suit department of Leitinger Bros. store, is quite ill at her home in Carversville.

H. P. Dowler has returned from a business trip to Greensburg.

J. L. Lieb of Curwensville attended to business in town yesterday.

Christopher Shoff of DuBois was in town on business today.

Miss Maud Kennard left today for Punxsutawney after a visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frances Graham of Philipsburg, motored to Clearfield yesterday and visited friends.

Mrs. Carrie Buchanan spent yesterday with her sister Mrs. James Dale at DuBois.

Mrs. H. S. Whiteman and daughter Helen are visiting their son and brother Ralph who is stationed at Camp Dix, N. J., and also their son and brother Horace, at Camp Merritt, N. J., for a few days.

Mrs. George Deters of Curwensville was taken to the Clearfield hospital today where she will undergo an operation.

Mrs. Mary McNaull and sister Mrs. Reed of Curwensville were among the out of town shoppers here yesterday.

Miss Charlotte Hoel, of Hornell, N. Y., is visiting her cousins, Mrs. John Kennard and Mrs. S. B. Whitmarsh of this city. Miss Hoel is a very interesting visitor, having taught for the past three years in the Mission school in Assyria and Damascus and returned to this country when war was declared.

W. C. Miller has been attending to business in Harrisburg for the past few days.

Mrs. John Brown and daughter Grace of Philipsburg were shopping here yesterday.

Mrs. Evan Lewis of Glen Richey was a Clearfield visitor yesterday.

W. P. Sheeder returned yesterday from Punxsutawney where he attended the Baptist Convention.

W. F. Reiter of Keewardin attended to business in town today.

Mrs. Charles Noll of Bellefonte is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cardon of Cherry street.

Abe Shapiro has returned from Lock Haven where he attended the funeral of his uncle Mr. George Shapiro and cousin Abe Jacobson.

Harold Wilson was operated upon for appendicitis this morning at the Clearfield hospital.

Mrs. William Heisenrath and Miss Jennie Smith of Lumber City were Clearfield visitors and shoppers today.

Mrs. Wade Stewart has returned from East Liverpool, Ohio, where she visited Mrs. Rex Montgomery for several weeks.

Gordon Gearhart of Philipsburg was in town on business yesterday.

Mrs. Robert Morgan of Glen Richey was shopping here yesterday.

Mrs. G. N. Clute and mother Mrs. E. M. Thompson of Curwensville were shopping here yesterday.

Mrs. Clara Thompson and niece Miss Powell, of Curwensville, were Clearfield visitors yesterday.

Rev. John P. McCurdy left this morning for Newberry to attend Conference.

Mrs. John Ardary and daughter Marian of Curwensville were Clearfield shoppers yesterday.

James L. McGonigal of Pottersdale was in town on business yesterday.

Frank Patchin of Burnside is spending a few days here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldrake of Crystal Springs Camp were shoppers in our stores today.

Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Blair of Curwensville were shopping here yesterday.

CATARRH Forbed or throat. Catarrh try the VICK'S VAPORUB.

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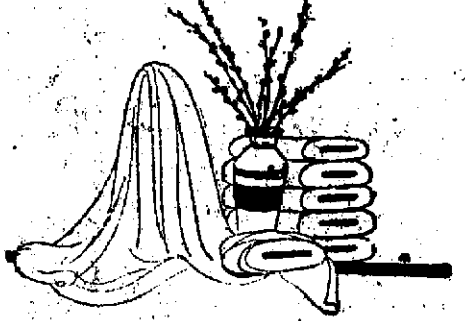
SPEND BUT SPEND WISELY SAVE! BUT SAVE EARNESTLY BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS NOW ON SALE AT Leonardson's

Splendid Showing of The New
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An Exhibit That Will Be Viewed With Eager Interest By Those Planning Early Spring Clothes

Our silk and dress goods department is making an early bid for your patronage—and in a manner that will meet with your entire approval, for we have assembled only the most desirable weaves, colors and designs that are to be worn this season.

Here you will find fabrics that are being used in the ready-to-wear garments fashioned for Spring, so you may choose from the collection shown with confidence. The wise home dressmaker always buys early, for she then has ample time to plan her Spring clothes and to determine upon a style best appropriate for wearing with her other garments. The materials include among the most staple a favored fabrics, such as new materials as new silk gingham and a number of novelty wool materials in plaids and other effects.



New Foulard Silks at \$2.00 a Yard

32 inches wide, white backgrounds with printed designs, blue and brown. Some show very large effects and others a combination of smaller designs as well as the popular coin sports. All the designs shown are new and original. The colorings are rich and desirable. You will find, too, several entirely new patterns in Standard fashion books showing the use of foulard silks for Spring and Summer dresses.

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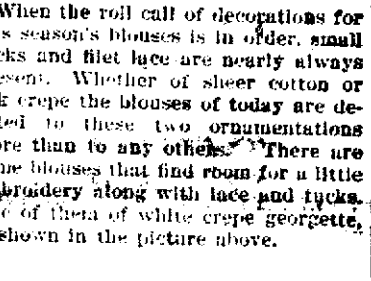
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